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East Poultney Vt. Oct 4th 18

Rev. Geo. Whipple

My Dear Sir

I shall not, unless some one urge me, do anything in the case. Do not fear he may carry it. Yours truly H. Wilson

See kind not what I do dare - I do sincerely & earnestly thank you for your kind words for the good I would if I could - Do not your weary - Yours letter Tarts "obstacles" fears that I gain no hear of certainly

you can spare these two envelopes perhaps you will see why your letter, just at hand, caused my heart to leap - "It is George, my brother in N. York!" I said, tearing open the letter - but it was not the writing of my brother George though it fairly cheated me -

I should be rejoiced to accede to your proposal of three to examine the case, and I will promise to allow them to say whether it shall go before Association if they will promise to say it must go, unless they can say to me distinctly, in writing, that they do not find that Rev Wm James has told wilful falsehoods, or acted in a way to dishonor the christian profession -

And I choose you, Mr. Evelyn, and Rev. H. Taylor as the three, and will address Mr. James through you, so you shall

see how I do it, that he may be present.

will remember that I have repeatedly stated that Mrs James' own letters, which parties handed over to me & those he wrote to me, prove that he utterly forbid his wife to restore my money when she had it ready for me, & had twice promised in writing to pay me -

He is, I am very sorry to know, "mean enough" for anything; but his own handwriting, over & over - shows his determined opposition to his wife's desire to repay (who thinks horribly & unjustly in equity receiver) - He writes to Judge Nathan B. Morse, who expostulated with him till he became disgusted with him, that his wife wanted to repay it; but he would not allow her so to do - Indeed, Sir, all that is wanted is a fair chance for me to show to honest men the facts - (Sent you see James knows this, & he would gladly have vouchsafed them) They cannot have two opinions concerning them - 'Tis this help I ask, entreat, implore -

Do not tell me you cannot aid me to it. O try if those I name will not help. I know none others I can trust. Or, I will leave to either of you three to name other humane & just ministers, who will act as you suggest. I shall, D.V. be on next week ~~week~~. Expect money soon to go. Perhaps I can see you on the 21 or 22 Oct. It seems as if it would kill me if you dish me now. I know you must be the very best one to manage the matter. God will see & know & somehow make it up to you for all the trouble. I'm trying to get her Cong delayed pension for a suffering widow, and to do all I can for every body, so God will incline your heart to help me, in my very great & sore need. Glad, glad & thankful should I be God knoweth, to feel that confidence in people ~~that~~ I felt four or five years ago. Do not blame me too much. The uncle to whom I asked you to write wrote to ~~me~~ "all whom it may concern" of course

he does not wish to speak against his own sister; but he knows what it means, & knew it means for her, when he writes. "My mine is open as the day: and she would not say one word for the purpose of injuring any one, so I believe, to save her life." If I knew myself at all this is true - Uncle Boynton is a stern man, who never flatters; but he thinks I have been treated most unworthily - & hopes I may regain my own - Mrs. James behaved in a way that gave a very bad impression of her to Dear Belcher, when she came to that pretended arbitration, while Mr. James acted the perfect sneak - It was truly sickening - But Sarah never used to be so - Pa always said, and I thought so too, that there was nobility in her nature - She was not in favor then with her mother; but always was her mother's best friend - And now (loyalty to that mother, does done, is what ails her - She cares not one cent to keep that money away for the sake of others - She has totally alienated my sympathy

Dr. Dexter says it is the duty of any christian who comes to know such a state of things to see it made right - I think this is the idea of Christ also - Certainly this would purify his earthly kingdom - Just consider, what chart of a Chance has any, no matter how wronged & abused, of a hearing or justice - any who has not invincible determination or superhuman power - "No use to try" say most of no longer wonder - But should this be so? Instantly should some easy of access Court of the Church be instituted, where hearing & justice may be had by the least & most unknown & feable victim - God speed the day - Perhaps this is why He has allowed me so to suffer - Hearts blood is the price of every good & man -

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I ask forgiveness for no sin of commission or omission till I have been made to see, repent, & if I can, atone it; but please consider that for four years & more I have been trying in the fear of God and in every way he has directed or indicated, in all the patience & kindness I could exercise, and with arguments, entreaties and then rebukes such as God directs, ready ever to forgive with heavenly joy, to win to right, or to gain proper help to this end. Most who have robbed, abused, insulted and systematically lied about me — and so far seemingly — all in vain — I know the Everlasting Arms upheld me or I should sink in despair & die — I did not doubt, never dreamed of such a thing, that there wasn't ready help & justice in this visible kingdom — and to see how nearly all faith one consent have tried to do it, has hurt me as much as all the rest — It has made me feel as if there was nothing in this world — confidence, vanity.

Of Assn: dispellworthy Mrs. Becker against whom there is no proof - I mean nothing that cannot be explained, leaving him innocent - & surely he must be innocent, or we, who have for 20 years known him intimately should have seen some smut on him; but there was never one taken - not one }} and refuses to look after Mr. James, against whom I hold proof absolute & plenty, what can be their motive?

J. P. Southworth
2610 West Fairlee
Vt
$15 —
Oct 5/75
Clerk
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West Fairlee Orange County
Vermont Oct 5th 1875

Wm. Whiting

Dear Sir

Enclosed
is ($15.00) fifteen dollars from
the Congregational Church &
Society and West Fairlee, to be used
for the benefit of the Freedmen

Yours truly
J. P. Southworth
West Fairlee Vermont

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3853
FISK UNIV.

Letter filed in the place Men

Rec'd

Rec. H. Smith
Swanton, Vt. 2571
$5 —

Mr. W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir

I send inclosed five dollars which you may apply as you think best for missionary purposes

Harry Smith

Swanton Vt Oct. 5th 1875

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3854
FISK UNIV.

East Poultney, Vermont.
Oct 9 [illegible]

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-3855
FISK UNIV.

A glorious day - sailed these flaming hills.

Mrs. A. Hamer
10/8/75

My Dear Friend,

It occurs to me that you may feel worried at what seems to you the complexity of the case requiring attention. The other party has tried in every way to muddle & confuse the case; but it is really very clear & plain, especially if the business matters are not to be much looked into. All these dodges & false issues, & pretenses & pleas of Mr. James do but render the matter more easy for men to decide on - if only any live men with power to say whether Mr. James has acted and is acting worthy of a minister of the Lord Jesus Christ, & a member of Assn. can ever be got to make requisite examination - because his letters betray him. I thought the matter so simple that I assured Dea. Belcher it need not take more than twenty minutes to decide it - I was quite as much confounded as was he to see that they (the James) refused to allow the real issue, and demanded I should prove eight things & give them the benefit of all the doubts - making credit enough, as men who understand such things said, to call a case. Ah! they do cunningly to refuse & hinder all church action & cry out for "law, law." But all that's wanted is to see what Pa meant & whether Mr James is doing right & telling the truth - It was well Mr. Belcher was on that attempt at arbitration -

hard to beef it - "I have an checked to venture
also Judge Morris's
Rev. George The details Mr James
replies - Oration & I have - is
copies of mine - The
Pastor matter have read
mine & very request to be sure
that they were not
Whipple objectionable. "But"
said he "anyone
who would detail such
cards as these to your
wife would certainly murder
you if they dared" "
Another said "to that
I heartily his brother for side-
"is a murderer" - "you
see Mr. James has no
ambition for his brother -
in law & wife with whom
he has so
friendly
Cordial
hands -
I do really
hope you
will hint
your behind
over my
long letters.
Yours very
truly
H. Hamer.

He knows whether I am correct & fair as to that & will testify - By the way the hand of Providence has been too clear & manifest in this matter for me to doubt that I am in the way God wants me to go - I did not know Mr. Belcher was deacon of our church when I chose him; & I wanted another man more, but could not have him because he knew of the case - Rev. H. M. Field, of N. Y. Evangelist - he offered to serve -

Then names of persons to go to for information came to me - that had been forgotten for years - neighbors of my father's family, I never made much acquaintance with neighbors of my step mother in Brooklyn, knowing it to be impossible that she should not be discussed - & that if she heard things said she would blame me, if I was intimate with her church people & neighbors -

Then all on a sudden in midsummer of '78 a perfect longing to see once more the old place on the Lehigh, where ma died, came over me & I said "If I can spare the money I will go there" - Almost the first thing when I reached N. York I was paid ten dollars that I had give up for last years wages - Away I went to the old, old home - In over thirty years I had not seen it, nor one of those people - They never seemed to think I could go - But they were so glad to see me so kind; and they knew all about my father's long troubles, & his plans for me - As they had known both his wives he used to tell them about me, when they asked him, as it seems they always did - And they have invited me to return there and remain - as I almost want to do -

one old man said - he was an old hunter who lived near our place "Did the Lord ever make two sister's women so different as them two wives of your father's - I've heard him cry way across the river, as he sat by your mother's grave when he came up here." - - -

Then when I tried to find if Stephen & her Bowman children were members of the Prak. & Presbyterian Church, to which they took letters from the Franklin St. Pres. Ch. elder Ide, apprehensive of some trouble, did not tell me for many weeks whether or not they were - But it turned out that my physician Dr. Edward Richardson, of Montague St. Brooklyn, was a connection by marriage of Elder Ide's; & he - Dr R. has very well defined ideas of the way in which I've been treated; and ~~after he had~~ after I wrote to Mr. Ide that Dr Richardson said he'd no doubt they were members there, the elder admitted the fact - I have not done with that hand - but nothing of that kind.

I don't like to risk the letters of Mr. James; but will send this one for you to read & keep until I come - I charged all my friends to whom I wrote to keep my letters, & cards, (after they refused to read letters) and to show but never undertake to characterize them. They are utterly mistaken in my motives & my spirit - as my stepmother has ever been - I merely showed some of my papers & Mr James' letters to Judge Morse, saying almost nothing until after he had expressed himself - He was a life long friend of Mr James & his first mother's - & was greatly surprised & disappointed in Mr James. And no one can be more disappointed in him than I was - after studying him, too, for a

long time, because I knew he wanted to marry Sarah, & I felt anyone she should do well - I call doing well in marriage getting a good mate - nothing else is - As for me, though nervous & excitable to an unusual degree, I have, during this hard trial been helped not to be ugly - & terribly troubled with rush of blood to the head - so it seems to me - & I've prayed for that - When I had such dreadful things to say I could not make all I said pleasant - You may judge differently, & while all knew it was better than I deserved; but the uncle who took care of me like a father, & knew me well all my days said, "There is not a thought of her heart it would not honor her to have spoken" - & Uncle Bryan - the minister, said when I was there, right in the darkness of my trial "Ah! Susie, I guess all your sins will be forgiven, for you are a forgiving spirit" - So amid the charges that are made, by those who have & would keep unquestioned my money, of spite, malice, persecution on my part, I lift my face to God saying, "Be thou to it, my only father; I don't feel so, & I know I desire & design to act in the right spirit - "It is not malice or spite to desire and work for justice" - And in private I exhausted all efforts required - If I have made any mistakes I am sorry; if I have, in any particular been rude or rough, I repent and will take just consequences; but grant me the hearing for which I ask - I shall you sure of our out door carpet - If this sin-cursed earth is so wondrous bright & fair, what do you suppose Heaven must be? I know it matters little whether we die in the far house or not, if we are children of the King - But the King wants me to go through with the business in hand before he lets me go home - Perhaps you will notice the disposition of Mr James to dodge out of bright & thus mud - Does he really think a court of law so much more fitting for rehearing family affairs than religious courts? Very things used to be said of me in my youth that I recall now with some comfort & hope - i.e. "Don't never will stick to her clothes" and "'tis easy enough to gain advantage of sus; but playing

Miss Lucy A. Child
East Thetford, Vt

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3856
FISK UNIV.

East Thetford Oct 11 1875

Rev Mr Strieby

Dear Sir

Mother wishes me to write you this morning, to enquire if you think it will be a good time to dispose of her quilt at the next annual meeting of the Ass It is a silk quilt; made in the Log-Cabin Style; it is very neatly put together & lined with blue calico It is similar to the one she sent two years ago; and that sold for $40.00 I think this quite as pretty as that was; & she thinks it better. She thinks

that she would rather keep it another year than sell it much less than the the other; though she would like to have the Freedmen have the benefit of it this year.

Respectfully yours

Lucy C. Child

I have written the letter as she dictated; you remember that I sent you the money instead of the Quilt. The one she has now is not worth $10 I think I'd not sell at the present time for more than $10.00; enclosed please find $5.00 and soon as I can I will send you the other five; you can write her that it is not best to try to sell it this year (which is true) to keep it until the Financial crisis is passed. Please acknowledge the $5.00 in the Missionary to a friend to not speak of it in your letter. I'm sorry to give you so much trouble, but-

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

cannot see any way to pre
vent it. It have her happy.
At the same time, Her heart
& hands are fully engaged in
the good work. I wish I could
send you more at this time
but there are so many calls
that I cannot consistently
Hoping that the pressing
need of the Society may be met
& that the work may go on.

Yours respectfully
L A C

Miss Moore
10/14/75.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. AA 3957
FISK UNIV.

Rev. Geo. Whipple, C. P. Oct. 14 '75

Dear Sir.

I am most sick trying to pack, & other causes - must leave for N. Y. Monday - Address Brooklyn P. O. after receipt of this - if you write - Perhaps you may find an hour for me; but really I'm much clearer & surer with pen than tongue - And as all I ask of you is to see to it that my charge is not again swept aside as not concerning Assn. - which every such charge, well grounded, does vitally concern & no one has made, or sought to make, I believe personal complaint against Mr. Beecher) I do ~~not~~ hope it will not take very much more of your time - [illegible]

Too bad there cannot be that committee of three - But each man would have said "I cannot do it." Only let them begin & Mr James would, probably, restore my money & save them all further trouble. I will try to see some of those you mention - But Drs. Stone & Boddington have personal reasons for not wishing to help a member of Ply Church - It might look like spite to some - I don't on consideration think they better. You say "If any member demands that the B. case come up, I see not how it can be avoided". Ah! that is all. Only let some member, specially yourself, demand that my case shall come up, at least to be finished up, then it must wait for years. Yours very truly

A. Moore -

Ephraim Morris
Hartford
Ct.
Oct. 1875

E. W. & E. MORRIS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Cane and Wood Seat Chairs,

AND GROUND PLASTER.

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Hartford, Ct., Oct 18 1875

W E Whiting Esq
Treas. American Miss Ass.

Dear Sir.

I enclose check for thirty one 17/100 dollars amount contributed by the Chief Church & Society at this place for the purpose of the American Miss. Ass.

Please receipt & oblige.

Yours truly

Ephraim Morris.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3858
FISK UNIV.

Rev. Mrs C. Pearson Coventry Vt

W. E. Whiting Esq.

Oct. 19/75
82
$5 —

Dear Sir

please find enclosed five dollars which you will pay in to the treasurer of the American Missionary association & please send the American Missionary to my address as usual

Truly yours.

M C Pearson.

Coventry Vermont.

Oct 19th 1875.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3854
FISK UNIV.

Rev. Lewis Grout

N. Brattleboro, Vt.
Oct. 21, 1875.

N. E. Whiting, Esq.
Asst. Treas. &c.

Dear Sir

In consideration of $30. (& more) from the Congl Church in Newmarket New Hampshire (at the last two contributions) please make Mr. Eben Foy of Newmarket, N. H. a Life Member of the A. M. A.

Truly yours

Lewis Grout
agent A. M. A.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3860
FISK UNIV.

L. M. Stevens
East Hardwick
Oct 25/75 101 Vt

Ack'd

E. Hardwick Vt Oct 25th 1875

Mr Whiting

Enclosed please find check for ~~Eleven~~ thirteen dollars for the A. M. Association from the Congregational Church in this place. Please send receipt

Yours Truly L. M. Stevens Treasurer

(13.00)

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3861
FISK UNIV.

Oct 30/75

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Rev M E Strieby

$2

Please find enclosed two dollars, from one who in dying, wanted her things should amount to something for the Freedmen" - Yours Resp

Ft Oct - 28th 1875

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3862
FISK UNIV.

Geo. S. Harmon
Rupert, Vt
Oct. 1875

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G. S. Harmon.
Rupert. Bennington Co.
Vt.

W. E. Whiting.

Please find enclosed one dollar to pay on the American Missionary for postage as I am entitled to receive it free.

The Lord bless you in your good work.

G. S. Harmon &c

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3863
FISK UNIV.

Maria Kingsley
North Cambridge
Vt.

Rec'd. 133 North Cambridge Lamoille Co
Vermont

Oct. 1875

Ack'd

Enclosed
please find 1 one dollar to renew
my subscription for the American
Missionary Hope & pray that you
may get it as the last one I sent
I fear you never received because
it was not acknowledged Respectfully
Maria Kingsley

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3864
FISK UNIV.

Miss Maria Kinsley
North Cambridge
Nov. 6/75 Vt.

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North Cambridge Nov 6

Thanks for letting me know you received the money I sent you Enclosed I send one dollar & wish you to send the American missionary papers to Clara Kinsley Fletcher Franklin Co Vt. & also Judson Kinsley North Cambridge & Willie Chaffee N Cambridge Vt

Respectfully
Maria Kinsley

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-3865
FISK UNIV.

Rev. Wm. P. Alcott
Barton Landing
21 Vt Barton Landing, Vt.
$18.97
Nov. 12/75
Nov. 12, 1875.

Mr W. E. Whiting.

Dear Sir.

I enclose a postal order for $17.97 and 50 cts. in cash

Please credit this to the Cong. Ch of Brownington and Barton Landing, Vt

Yours truly,
Wm. P. Alcott.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3866
FISK UNIV.

A. M. Amsden Hardwick
Nov 17th 1875

Hardwick, Caledonia, County Vermont

Mr. Whiting Dear Sir.

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Please find Enclosed Post Office Orders to the Amt of Ninety Dollars to be used at your discretion in the Missionary work among the Freedmen as follows-

From A. McAmsden & Wife $20.00
V. W. Rand of Morristown Vt 5.00
Susie P. Rand & daughter of A. M. Amsden 65.00
90.00

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3867
FISK UNIV.

This being presented by her as the close of her natural life to the Mission Cause - She wished me to say to you, that it was the mites or little savings from her childhood until she was 21 years & six months old - And she also wished to send her humble prayer that the Lord would make it a blessing in the Cause of her blessed Lord & Master. Please Constitute A. McAmsden & Wife Mary B. Amsden life Members of the

Association - Also Vernon W. Rand of Morristown Lamoille County Vt and oblige - Please send the American Missionary to me and also to Vernon W. Rand.

Yours as Ever with much love to the Cause

A. M. Amsden

P.S. If proper please give Mrs Rand's request a place in the Missionary Magazine

A. M. Amsden

C B Cook
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$40.35

No. 2.

West Charlotte Vt
Nov 29th 1875

Ackg

W. E. Whiting Esq.

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed Draft & Cash for $40.35 from the Congregational Church of Charlotte Vt, (Not West Charlotte as you reported it last year, by mistake.)

I also enclose a list, revised for the Paper for Charlotte and West Charlotte.

Yours truly
C. B. Cook

For Am. Miss. Association

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3868
FISK UNIV.

In response to Cir.

Alexander S Phelps
321 Sharon
Vt
$1

Sharon Vt Nov

Nov 30/75

To the American Missionary Association

Please find enclosed one dollar for the use of the Association in behalf of the freedmen

Permit me to add that some years ago I was requested to act as agent for the A Mis. Association in this place which I have endeavoured to do as in my poor judgment seemed best have occasionally contributed myself as means presented and hoped I had been instrumental in leading others to do so but have found much reluctance on the part of many who I have no doubt felt sincere in the belief that the Foreign mission was uppermost, but we are bound to have charity one for the other whilst labouring for the cause of Christ trusting that he will overrule all things for the best and his cause triumph,

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3869
1875
OBERLIN UNIV.

I feel now that I must give up my labours except I hope to give my prayers god helping me in its behalf whilst life is spared

I must now add that by reason of poor health I have been unable to read or write for over a year or even hear reading to any extent (though some improved now) and expect to moove my residence God permiting, to a neighbouring town I have thought it my duty to request that the magazine be discontinued as I dont feel that I ought to receive it unless I can render some service in behalf of its common cause

With respect

Alexr. S. Phelps.

Dr Response Book

N. A. A. ARCHIVES
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Brattleboro, Vt., Dec. 5 1875

Mr. N. E. Whiting

Enclosed we send you

One Hundred twenty & 82/100 Dollars $ 120.82

in payment of Con. du bilan

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson & Co

from Cen. Ch. 105.70

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$ 120.82

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Brattleboro Vt
Dec 5 '75

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3871
FISK UNIV.

Rev P. S. Pratt
Dorset Vt
Postage 10 —

Dorset. Vt. Dec 14 75

W. E. Whiting Esq

Will you do me a favor to send me a copy each of the February & the October 1875. Numbers of the American Missionary Magazine —
I have not yet received the December number — (perhaps it is not issued) (10 cts enclosed)

Yours truly
P. S. Pratt

Sent Dec 16/75

Yale Univ.
Manuscripts & Archives
No. HL-3872
Yale Univ.

E. N. Hoyt
New Haven, Ct.
Dec. 5/75
Ans'd 8 =

New Haven Ct. Dec 6 1875

Mr Wiley

Dear Sir

Send me two dollars for your attorney to Philo J. W. Turner Middlebury Vermont for your fees to 1880

Please send me a receipt

Your truly

E. N. Hoyt

from Philo J. W. Turner
Middlebury Vt.

Mrs. J. W. Jones

Middleburg

Loudoun

Lyman Clark
Marshfield Vt
Dec. 6/75 371
acks $10 –

Marshfield Vermont ~~Washington~~
To Dec 6th 1875.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3873
FISK UNIV.

Mr Whitney

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find ten dollars, to make use of, as you see fit for the American Missionary Society

Yours with respect
Lyman Clark
Marshfield Vermont

In response &c.

Mrs. M. B. Kinsley
382 Bennington
Dec 1/75 75 — Vt

Bennington Dec 8 1875

Wm. E. Whiting
Treas

Dear Sir

Enclosed

I send you check for five dollars $5.00 - wishing I could multiply the sum by a thousand, but please accept it for the uses of the Association, and acknowledge it as a "thank offering" giving no name - I hoped long ago to have completed the payment on the Life Membership, but have felt the pressure of the times so severely that I have not been able - May the Lord open the hearts of those who are able, that your work may be greatly enlarged -

A. M. E. Church Papers
NO. H1-3874
FISK UNIV.

Please acknowledge by letter and oblige

Yours truly

Mrs. M. B. Kirsley

Bennington

Vermont

M. H. Jennings
Fairfield, Vt.
~~Comm~~
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R.D.

T. E. & A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3875
FISK UNIV.

Fairfield Dec 4th 1875

Dear Sir.

You will find enclosed two dollars for the A. M. A. would be glad if I could make it two thousand.

Yours Resp.

M. H. Jennings

Fairfield.

Vermont.

In response to C.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3876
FISK UNIV.

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1/17/75

60 Cedar St. Dec 7.th

Rev. Dr. Geo. Whipple,

My Dear Sir,

I sup-
pose you knew that I was wait-
ing, & most anxiously - Still, I
want nothing done that would
offend Assn. - I can make no
more effort till the Com. de-
cides - if, indeed, I ever can do
anything more - I have a shel-
ter in Vt - if I can but reach
it - a good empty house, where
owners are away - But I have had
to use my money for others, and
if I stay much longer shall

have not been enough
to get back - not to mention
coal - food, the good people
there will supply me, if I can-
not buy. I have been for weeks
and late in the fall without
a spark of fire, & forced to
ask part credit of a stranger
for a stove - all because others
must have my earnings. But
the end is near. The brother
who loves me - he does - it is no
use for me to try longer to uph-
hold. Last night, from misery
and fear, I lay sufferless in
bed, while he lay, worse than
dead, in the kitchen. I cant
think why God does not hear.
There is nothing I would not do,
forego, suffer that the requirement
if he would give to my brother
"life" according to his own prom-
ise - surely Julius had not sin-
ned unto death" when I began
asking life eternal for him, &
my anguish, fastings & tears God
has seen, nearly all the years of my
life, since 18 years of age -
I cannot understand it.
If I knew anything I have been
true, generous, kind just to all;
yet my reward is this from
one dearer than life; and ha-
tred, malignity, sheer robbery
from the whole second part;
while the good & correct
brother, to whom I have a
right to look for staff &

Ray, comforter and defender, has a wife who is sister to Mrs. James; and though he knows my cause to be just, he has no heart to meddle much with it. And he always was very moderate and patient.

I have many good & pleasant friends; but I cannot enjoy them. My heart is too sore, and head too lame and distressed. Solitude & silence I crave. Please let me know decidedly, soon as you can, what is the word, and when the next meeting of Assn is to be, so that I may "flee away and (try to) be at rest."

Thank you much. God reward you for all kind offices towards me. And may he bless abundantly dear Mr. Foster. Yours very truly.

Augusta Moore.

Mrs. L. C. Butler
Essex, Ont.
Dec. 11/75

413
71

NO. HL-3822

Essex Dec 11/75

Dear Bro.

Please find one dollar enclosed; this with my earnest prayers for the blessed work is all that I can do now.

Yours in Christ
Mrs L C Butler

P.S. In acknowledging it in the "American Missionary" please not put in my name only
"A Friend" Essex
and oblige
Mrs L. C. B.

Madison Safford
412
Cambridge Rec.
$25.—
Dec 11/75
C.S.
Rec'd
A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3878
FISK UNIV.

Cambridge Vt, Dec. 11. 18[illegible]

E. Whiting Esq. Act. Treas A. M. A.

Please find enclosed $25.00 in a money order.—

Mrs. Nancy How (relict of Hezekiah How) now in her 84th year, very feeble, yet with a heart full of love & good-will to the freedmen & our own beloved country, of her scanty means, consecrates with her tears & prayers $15.00 of the enclosed — $15.00 ✓

Mr. S. M. Safford — — — — — 5.00 ✓

Mrs. Mary Waterhouse, (my blind & feeble sister) 5.00 ✓

You see that it is the aged who are almost gone & have nothing to have, who are your best contributors & altho' this year we are giving more than usual, it may be our last.— I fear the rising generation will not do what they ought.— # I send you the name of Henry Safford, West Enosburgh Vt, for L. M.

Some months ago I requested you to send a paper to him

by Madison Safford, a previous donation. E.S.

Madison Safford

Rev. O.G. Wheeler
~~South Hero, Vt~~

Dear Sir Dec. 14/75 South Hero Vt Dec 14

445 Enclosed are $19.
for the A.M.A contributed
mainly by the Congl Church
and Society. of South Hero Vt

Yours truly
O.G. Wheeler

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3179
FISK UNIV.

In response to circ.

Miss E. L. Benton
Vergennes, Vt.
432
810 —
Dec. 15/75

M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3880
FISK UNIV.

Vergennes Vt.
Dec. 15, 75.

Mr. Wm E. Whiting

Dear Sir:

I enclose to you a check for ten dollars. It is the last gift of my *dear father to the Association, he passed away from earth to a heavenly home a few days after directing me to send it. The delays incident to the

*Mr. E. Benton deceased.

grief and trial of that time have prevented my sending it before.

Last year there was a young girl in Galladay's Col who was formerly a pupil of mine. This year she finds herself unable to attend the school. I have intended to make some arrangements to have her go back there as soon as my money matters are arranged so that I can have them in my own hands. I want to send her some clothing if I can without too much expense, and I thought perhaps if I sent a parcel to

you, you might be able to forward it to Talladega for me as I suppose you are sending to your school as you used to be when I was connected with them. Will you please inform me in regard to the matter

Very truly yours

E. L. Benton

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3881
CASE UNIV.

Henry Miles.
Monkton Vt.

Dec. 20/70 413

$8 20

Pay receipt

Wm E. Whiting Esq.
Asst Secy Am. Missionary Soc.
56 Read St. N.Y.

Sir.

Please find (1825) Eight Stereotype 20/100 dollars. which has been forwarded me by Henry Miles of Monkton, Vermont with the request that I hand the same to you. Please acknowledge receipt to me and oblige

Respy
R. J. Murray

409 Bergen
N.Y.

N.Y. Dec 20th 1870

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3892
FISK UNIV.

Madison Safford
Cambridge Vt
482
$15.—
Dec 21/95

Cambridge Vt Dec. 21. 1895

Mr E. Whiting
Treas. A. M. A.

With pleasure I transmit another money order, small altho it is, yet accompanied by the prayers of the donors, good may result from it.—

Mrs. John Safford, Morrisville, Vt	5.00 ✓
Mr. John Kinsley N. Cambridge Vt,	10.00 ✓
	$ 15.00

Madison Safford

I wish to send the name of # John S. Fullington E. Cambridge Vt, for L. M.— Perhaps I send you more names than I ought, yet some are thereby made fast friends & contributors, M. S.

by Madison Safford on a/c of his donation & interest on loan

Mrs. S. E. Robinson
South Hero 509
$1.
Dec 28/75

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3883
FISK UNIV.

South Hero Dec. 23d, 1875

To the American Missionary Association.

Please find

Enclosed $1.00 to aid the good work

Mrs S. E. Robinson

Rev. E. C. Birge
Londonderry Vt
Dec 23/75 $04
J. E.
Nish

H.A.

Londonderry Vt. Dec 23 1875
Windham Co
Mr W. E. Whiting —
Cor —

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. HL-3884
FISK UNIV.

Enclosed find — on my own account — I have waited long — hoping — to send a contribution from the Church and Sy.
This church is young and small. She calls for money on every side — I wonder that the Lord has helped us as he has — revived his work, converted souls — and we rejoice — I, of myself, send the
I hope in God — for the future — dear daughter — now in heaven. was a teacher of the "Freedmen in "N. Orleans" — in the time of the "rebellion" — I have watched the doings of the A.M.A. at the South, with

deep solicitude - I can pray more than I can give - God is at work - for the freedman - their wrongs are known - their prayer is heard -

I wish to do my whole duty - I shall - as I can - do and Enlist - others in the same cause, Accept of the Write - and send the Monthly - as in the past -

I circulate - The extra No -

Yours in Christ - for a Suffering people -

Rev E C Bingle -

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt.
Dec. 24/75
$13.97

C. F. Thompson & Co.,

DEALERS IN

HARDWARE, IRON AND STEEL, LIME AND CEMENT,

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C. F. THOMPSON. S. E. HOWARD.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-38851
FISK UNIV.

Brattleboro, Vt., Dec. 24 1875

Mr. N. E. Whiting Dr to

Enclosed we send you

Thirteen 97/100 Dollars $ 13.97

in payment of Con. Jr. Cong Ch. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

Margaret B. Duncan
Burlington, Vt.
Dec. 25/75
Books
5 3 9
$5 —

Books sent Dec 27 75

Burlington Vt. Dec. 25. 75.

AMER. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3886
FISK UNIV.

Rev. G. D. Pike.

Dear Sir.

If it will not give you too much trouble will you please send to me by mail to Burlington, Vermont. one copy of each of your 2 books about the Jubilee Singers?

I am stopping here, with my brother awhile & would like the books for presents.

You will find enclosed draft for 5 dollars. If there is any balance after paying for books, & postage on the same: please turn it into the treasury of A. M. A. as "from a friend." Please excuse the liberty I have taken, & accept my hearty wish that you

may have a happy new year
happy in our Master's service.

Very Respectfully
Margaret B. Duncan

Mrs Betsey Gibson
593 South Londonderry
75 — Vt

Mr Wm E. Whiting
Dec 26/75

Rec'd

Sir

Enclosed please find five dollars my subscription for 1876 to the American Missionary Association. It should have been forwarded before Want of means is the only apology yours truly

Mrs. Betsey Gibson

Dec. 26. 1875

South Londonderry Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3887
FISK UNIV.

Dr. J. N. Moore
Chester, Vt.
Dec. 28/75

Dr. J. N. MOORE,

Druggist and Apothecary

And Dealer in Pure Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Pure Confectionery,
Books and Stationery, Yankee Notions, Etc., Etc.

ARCH
NO. HT3888
FISK UNIV.

5.12
7.40

Chester, Vt., Dec 28th 1875

Rec'd

Mr. E. Whiting

Dear Sir please find Enclosed Money Order for $10.00 for Am. M. Association which you will appropriate as you may think best for the Noble Cause in which you are engaged and may the Lord add his blessing

Very truly Yours

J. N. Moore

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-3889
FISK UNIV.

T. Whipple

Brantford, Dec 28/75

Dear Bro. Whiting

I telegraphed you yesterday that a draft should be sent to Stewart. I hope it was done.

I hope too that you paid my life insurance, (Hale Agt) yesterday, and if you do not hear from me again by Friday P.M. I trust you will see that another premium is paid, this time, to the Am. Mu. Life (of New Haven) S.E. corner of B'way & Maiden Lane.

My sister still lives, powerless to move any thing but her hands & head, and almost every breath a groan: yet evidently cognisant

of what is said and done to her, tho she can not speak so as to be understood. She takes no nutriment, nor any medicine except Chloral to relieve her suffering.

She may die any moment, or she may live a few days. Recovery, or permanent improvement is impossible. If it were not for her suffering, I should think mortification had already commenced.

Yours,

Geo. Whipple

$2.50

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HT-3890
FISK UNIV.

Granby, Essex Co, Vt
Dec. 30. 1875

Treasurer Am. Miss Assoc
Inclosed please find
Two & half Dolls. for A. M. A. from
Congl Ch of Granby & Victory, Vt.
Yrs. very truly
Chas. Durrin
Pastor

Granby and Victory

Rev. Chas. Durrin
Granby Vt
Dec 30 1875
$2.50

762

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. N1-3841
FISK UNIV.

Madison Safford
Cambridge, Va.
$10.00
Dec 30 1875

Cambridge Va, Dec 30. 1875

Wm E. Whiting Esq
Asst. Treas, A. M. A

Please find enclosed $10,00 from Dra. Solomon Montague, to the good cause. He wished me to ascertain if President Grant, is a life member of the A. M. A. & if not, if it would not be improper, he would like, that this & what he sent last Aug. & Sept. should constitute him a L. M.: otherwise he may send another name sometime. I believe this makes $181.36 against $75,00 from our town last year. I cannot expect to send so much another year yet I will try.

Madison Safford

1061

CCXLIX. WATERBURY VT..MCH.THIRD. REV..M.E.STRIEBY.

FIFTYSIX READE.NY.

I CANT COME IMMEDIATELY.THE LETTER WILL EXPLAIN.

MRS.KATE E.HENRY.AIT PAIDN.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3890
FISK UNIV.

East Dorilitney Vermont
Jan 4th 1876.

Rev. Geo. Mupple. D. D.

My Dear Sir.

I sincerely hope you have not had so hard a time as I have since I last saw you - You was hardly able to stand alone then, you remember - as was my case also. I hope your life and health will be spared - at least until that report is made, in April, and as much longer as it is God's will.

I wrote to ask Mr. Lockwood if I might copy his notes of the speech of the Rev. Mr. James, as I wished to send it to my

brother Sunge, and I thought
his fellow than my notes.
He said it was not in his posi-
session - the notes were not.
Lawyers advised me to sue
the parties who sent the cards;
but I am not clear that
I ought to do that - I'll try all
other ways that I know to
be right first -
I've fallen on the ice here, &
been very sick - Hurt my
back; & it worked upward
to my brain - The doctor says
I must be very careful as there
is danger of a relapse -
I lay here alone two days & two
nights without undressing,
before sending for him; as
I had no money to pay
him - Then Rev De Deefter

sent me a Christmas present - He never thought of such a thing before; so I thought it from the God for the doctor - But the doctor would not take it -
All neighbors are truly kind. I always find good friends outside my father's house, but it cuts deep to have such enemies there -
Do not forget me - If there is anything I should know beside o inform me - I pray God that truth o justice may triumph - That money is as truly mine, as if it had been taken from my pocket; o sadly do I need it - I hope Mrs Jocelyn is in comfortable health - Please - if you see him - remember me

Miss A. Moore.
East Poultney, Vt.
1-4-76

most kindly & respectfully
to him -

Happy New Year!

Yours very truly
A. Moore.

The dear little George
of whom you so
much admire
me, also of your
mother while I was
in Bangor -

Mrs. A. S. Goodhue
Westminster, West
Jany 4/76 Vt
652
$1—

Westminster West, Vt
Jan. 4. 1876

Mr Whiting.

Dear Sir. Please find enclosed one dollar to pay for the "American Missionary" for two years — I have taken it now for many years and like it very much —

Yours with Respect,

Mrs. A. S. Goodhue.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3894
FISK UNIV.

C. M. Bailey
East Hardwick, Vt.
Jany 8/76
Ack'd

$50 — Ea Hardwick Vt Jany 8th 1876

Wm E Whiting Esq

Dear Sir

Herewith please find draft for 50.00 contributed by Ea Hardwick Cong. S. School for year 1875 for Am. M. Ass

Yours truly
C. M. Bailey
Superintendt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3895
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3896
FISK UNIV.

Vergennes Jan. 13. 1876.

Wm E. Whiting

Dear Sir,

I have a panel ready to send you to put in the box for Talladega Ala, as you wrote me you could do, for the girl I spoke of in my former letter. I shall send the panel to you addressed on the inside to

Mrs A. L. Benton
Vergennes Vt.
Jan 13/76

Miss. Addie L. Hall — Talladega Ala.

I shall not be able to get it in the office in time for the express tomorrow but think it will certainly leave here saturday the 15th. I shall prepay it to New York — I hope it will go soon to Talladega

Very truly yours
B. L. Benton

Principal Warehouses.

Fairbanks & Co	NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, Md. NEW ORLEANS, BUFFALO, N.Y. ALBANY, N.Y. MONTREAL, LONDON, Eng.
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Fairbanks & Co	LOUISVILLE, Ky. ST. LOUIS, Mo.
Fairbanks & Hutchinson	SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.

Manufacturers.

E. & T. Fairbanks & Co — St JOHNSBURY, VT.

Fairbanks Scale Manufactory,

St. Johnsbury, Vt. Jany. 13th 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES NO. AI-2897 FISK UNIV.

W. E. Whiting Esqr.
Asst Sec. Am. Missionary Association
56 Reade St New York.

Sir

Enclosed please find Draft on E & T Fairbanks & Co. s/d on Mesrs Fairbanks & Co New York. for the sum of Sixty dollars. ($60.00). a Contribution for general purposes of the A. M. Association.

by Zenas Wood of St Johnsbury. Vermont. with Mr Wood's request that.

Rev. Wm A. Lord. D.D. of Montpelier Vermont. and Rev. A. A. Wood D.D of Lyons. New York. be constituted "Life Members" of the association

Please acknowledge receipt of contribution and oblige

Yours very truly

E. D. Blodgett
St. Johnsburg
Vermont

E. D. Blodgett
St Johnsbury Vt
Jany 18/76
$60.00
A M

C. S. Pillsbury
Londonderry, Vt.
Jany 17/76 1789

✓ 16D.

$1 —

Londonderry Vt. Jan. 17. 1876.

Mr. Whitney

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send one dollar, for the benefit of the A. M. Association.

C. S. Pillsbury

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3898
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3899
FISK UNIV.

Springfield Vt. January 17. 1876

Dear Sir

I send enclosed a draft for $171.42 the legacy of Miss Elizabeth Barrell deceased, as directed

Yours &c

Henry Closson
Executor

Rec'd

Henry Closson
Springfield Vt
January 17/76
$171 42
Leg

A. B. Lyon
West-Newbury
Vt.

Jany 18/76

Rec'd.

794

$13—

Ack'd

W. Newbury, Vt. Jan. 18th 1876.

Wm E. Whiting.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed find thirteen dollars, ($13.00), a contribution to the Am. Miss. Association from the Congregational Church of West Newbury, Vermont.

Yours in the Gospel.

A. B. Lyon.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3900
FISK UNIV.

S. Knowlton
New Haven
Vt.

795 Jany 18. 1876

$1105.12 New Haven, Vt. Jan. 18 76

W. E. Whiting Esq.

Please find inclosed Draft for $1105.12 less cost of draft, the same having been rec'd from Jeremiah Powers.

Yours truly
S. Knowlton

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3901
FISK U.

I have destroyed the first receipt

Estate of Hannah P. Bingham
by J. P. Executor.
G. M.

CHAS. B. SWIFT,
Manufacturer of
FURS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
148 Main Street,

Chas. B Swift
St Albans, Vt.

Jany 18/76
800
$75 92

St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 18th 1876

Mr W. E. Whiting, Asst. Treas.

Dear Sir

Rec'd

Enclosed please find draft for 75.92 being the Semi-Annual Contribution of the first Congl. Church & So. of St Albans Vt to the Am. Mis. association.

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-3902
FISK UNIV.

Mrs. I. Nichols
1/18/76 Randolph, Vt.
801
$5.10

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H-3903
FISK UNIV.

Randolph Vt. Jan 18th 1876

Mr. Whiting, Sir,

Inclosed please find one dollar and ten cents to pay for the American Missionary this year, addressed to

Mrs. Isaac. Nichols
Randolph
Vermont

Also, four dollars to be used by the "Association", where most needed,

Yours truly
Mrs. I. Nichols,

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3904
FISK UNIV.

East Poultney Vt.
Jan. 19th 1876.

Rev. George Whipple D. D.

My Dear Sir,

So the shadow of death was near you - How fast those dear to us, or that love us seem to die - or they have to move so far away, it seems really, that Heaven is much nearer than where they dwell. It has always been a grievous thing that my brother George had to be so far from me, & only that his health demanded a different climate from N. Y. or N. England I never could have borne it - And it is peculiarly hard now, when his marriage relations have joined hands with our stations -

Mrs to keep me from communicating with him - Prevent him from loving me they never can; nor do I think they can long shut off my letters, since his eldest daughter (I find by a recent letter from her) has taken up my cause with warmth & energy - which perhaps explains that part of my sister-in-law's letter (the one you have) which charges me with being likely to ruin the peace of her family - I am truly sorry they cannot have peace on the basis of truth and rightness - Any other peace is worthless.

I do not expect you to reply to this letter - nor any other that does not need reply; but now & then I grow weary and cannot sleep, and want to write for relief - Allow me -

I hope the Committee will please consider seriously Mr James' plea that he could not oblige his wife to restore in connection with his writing that she shall not restore, through any sins so to do, till she feels sure Pa meant me to keep the property. Secondly, that he did not deny that he sent her from the house when I went there, wishing to show her & him the proofs that Pa did so mean; and that after repeatedly writing that he should let her give back my money as soon as convinced Pa meant it for me, he allowed her to make, if he did not help her, those so called arbitration papers, refusing to restore if I did prove Pa's intent - and that he came with her, and was

Mrs Moore 1/19/70

referred to by her on occasion of the proposed arbitration - None of these ~~things~~ charges could be disprove, you, I suppose, well remember -

Excuse me for recapitulating - They are so clear in my mind - the facts, and their meaning - that I want to put them in that form for the Committee -

Has I wish somebody could show that man what he is doing; and what manner of spirit he is of; that, if there is any true nobleness in him, it may rise and shake away the unmanly & base spirit -

I hope this singular weather will not make you sick -

Yours very truly
A. Moore -

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3905
FISK UNIV.

ESTABLISHED 1826.

A. Woolson
Springfield, Vt
1/19/76
805
$170

Parks & Woolson Machine Co.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

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Cloth Finishing Machinery.

Springfield, Vt., January 19th 1876

Mr Rem E Whiting
Assistant Treas. A.M.A.

Dear Sir

Herewith please find Enclosed N.Y. Check for 170 Dollars 100 of it as a Contribution from Frederick Parks for the ordinary Charitable uses of your association and 70 Dollars of it for the special use of Educating of a Student in Berea College this last 70 Dollars from Mrs E. D. Parks, -

A Woolson for
Mr & Mrs Parks

Please acknowledge receipt by return mail

Mrs. J. N. Pierce
Clarendon
Vt.

Jany 21/76

832

50c

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3906
FISK UNIV.

Clarendon, Rutland Co. Vt Jan. 21, 1876

W. E. Whiting. Dear Sir –
Please find enclosed 50 cts. for your American Missionary Magazine, for this year (1876).
Address, C. N. Pierce, Clarendon, Rutland Co., Vt.

Yours Truly,
Mrs C. N. Pierce

Dr. J. N. Moore
Chester Vt
Jany 25/76
838
$22

CHESTER DRUG STORE.

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
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NEW YORK

Dr. J. N. Moore,

Druggist and Apothecary,

And Dealer in Pure Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Pure Confectionery,

BOOKS & STATIONERY, YANKEE NOTIONS, ETC., ETC.

Chester, Vt., Jany 25th 1876

Mr E Whiting

Dear Sir Enclosed find Money Order for "22.00" the same being the Penny Contribution of our S School for the last year I was the wish of the School expressed last Sabbath to send it to the A.M.A.'s and also if convenient to have it given to some specific purpose or School as you may think best and they will be gratified to know where & for what purpose it is used. If you can so inform us we will be grateful

Very Truly Yours J N Moore
Treas. S. School

Ans. - assigned to Memphis

A. W. Kenney
Royalton, Vt

Jany 27/76 8/15

Rec'd $21.15

Royalton, Vt. Jan. 27, 1876.

Wm. E. Whiting Esq. Asst. Tr. A.M.A.

Dear Sir: I inclose you my chk. $26.15, being the amount contributed by the First Congregational Church & Society in this place for the A.M.A.

Respectly yours,
A. W. Kenney Tr.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3908
FISK UNIV.

Rev. W. C. Denison
Castleton Vt.
Feb 1st 1876
902
$5 —

Castleton Vt Feb 1st 1876

Dear Sir

Enclosed is $5.00 for the Treasury of your Society

Yours

W. C. Denison

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3909
FISK UNIV.

"A. Friend"
North Cambridge
Feb. 2/76

Ok.

970
$1 25

North Cambridge Vt.
Feb. 2nd. 1876.

Mr. Whiting
Sir
Please find
inclosed for the Lord's work
$1.25 cts.
From a friend.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3910
FISK UNIV.

G. P. Haywood

HAYWOOD & COBB

Springfield, Vt.

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods and Groceries

Feb. 7. 1876

Crockery, Flour, Provisions, Etc.

959

$129 —

Randall & Henry's Block.

G. P. HAYWOOD,
W. H. COBB.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3911
TUSK UNIV.

Legacy

Springfield, Vt., Feb 7 1876

Mr. E. Whitney,

Dear Sir

Please find check for one hundred twenty nine dollars it being a balance of Legacy left by Mary Burritt to Zion Association

Please send receipt for same Yours truly

G. P. Haywood
Executor

B. Mrs. Kate E. Henry
W. Brattleboro Vt.
2-17-76
2-29-76

W. Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 15/76.

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3912
FISK UNIV.

Mr. s. a. m. a.

Sirs —

I send you the name of a lady, who I think will make a first class teacher for the Assn in the South — Mrs. Kate E. Henry of Waterbury, Vt. She is the daughter of the Rev. Mr. Royce, now dead, for many years pastor in Barre, Vt. — Studied at Barre Seed & fitted for teaching (by the side of young men that went to college) — is a good Latin scholar, a good singer, has taught instrumental music — taught in Texas two years at the close of 19 & 20 — has taught in New England — was Matron at

a lawyer (Henry) who died in 1867, since which she has lived a widow, keeping house & educating her three children, now so old & provided for that she can leave them, & would like to engage in missionary & educational work among the Freedmen. She is 39 years of age - an enterprising, devoted, sensible Christian woman - a woman of character & standing where she is known, & a member of the Capitol St. in Washington, D.C. Should she spend a little time in our parish not long since - Hope you may be able to give her a school next year, if not the last of this.

Yours truly

Lewis Stowe
agent a.m.a.

Cong. Ch. of Franklin
Feb. 15 1876 Vt

Franklin Vt Feb 15 1876

Hon E. Whitney Esq

Dear Sir

I have enclose fifteen dollars for A. M. Association contributed by Cong. Church of Franklin Franklin Co. Vt.

1007

Rec'd $15 — Ack'd

NO. H-3913
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REV. JAMES H. BABBITT,
Pastor Cong. Church.

Rev. James H. Babbitt
Waitsfield, Vt.
1009
Feb. 15/76
$20

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H-3914
FISK UNIV.

Waitsfield, Vt., Feb. 15 1876.

W. E. Whiting, Asst. Treas. A. M. A.

Enclosed find Postal Money order for twenty dollars the contribution of Waitsfield Congregational church for the current year.

Please acknowledge the same

Yours obliged
Jas. H. Babbitt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3915
FISK UNIV.

East Orange, N. J. Feb. 18. '78.

Rev. Dr. Whipple,

My Dear Sir,

Will you read attentively the underscored part the accompanying letter (read all if time allows) and see if it gives a correct idea of the statement of Rev. Wm James before the Committee. If you have the notes Mr Lockwood Cook you can compare them. I want my brother to know - if I can possibly reach him - correctly what Mr James said. If I have given a wrong idea, please retain the letter for me when I come. I hope your health is better than mine - This is a charming, charming day. If my letter is right please forward it, and send a card to me saying so. Yours very truly

A. Moore.

P.S. What a kind good man Rev Mr Jocelyn is! My distressing trial has had some valuable compensations. A.

Mr & Mrs Cook were well.

Miss Moore
Feb 18/77

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Feb 26 1876

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Within please find
fifteen dollars
to be appropriated
as you see fit
Yours truly
J. L. Fisher
Chester Depot
Vt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. M1-3916
MSR UNIV.

P. W. Ladd
Newbury Vt

Feb 28/76

1071
$2.00

Newbury Vermont Feb 28 - 76

Ack

W. E. Whiting Treasr

Please find enclosed Two dollars ($2.00) for the "American Missionary Association" also 25 cts for the Paper for this year. Please acknowledge in next paper & Oblige

Yours
P. W. Ladd

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL 3917
FISK UNIV.

Austin Richard 9201
Fayetteville Ark. 6—
2/76

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J. L. Green in pay of the paper	50
The following are new subscribers to who have paid me 25 cents each Tomit	250
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N. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Dated, Waterbury Vt March 2 1876

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To Rev M E Strieby

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3919
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Mrs. Kate Henry
Waterbury
Vt.

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Mrs. Hale E. Huey
Montana
Lamont
3-4-76

Waterbury, Vt. March 2nd 1876

Rev. M. C. Kirby.
Dear Sir.

Your favor is at hand, and in reply, I would say, that I am inclined to accept the position you offer. If I can arrange to do it I had not thought on expected to attempt any thing of the kind before another fall. I have a furnished home, boarders, and two young girls of my own, to dispose of, and ought to have about two weeks to do all this in-

Can you give me that time?
I would like to go out this spring because I can see for myself, and know if I am fit for the work, and the work fits me. As I am quite well acquainted with Southern people I think I can understand what my position would be as a teacher in a colored school and should go expecting some hardships. I know I must give up my pleasant social privileges here, and go without fire, but will try and do "with my might what my hands find to do" and be content with a work that I know is great and good.

You did not mention the number of pupils in school, or what I would be required to teach

If you should think best to wait a little for me. I will make my arrangements to come as soon as I can to you, as I would like to see you personally, and would like to make my journey via New York. I know first friends in the city John F Henry No. 8 College Place is a near relative of my late husbands.

Waiting to hear from you again

Most Respectfully yours

Kate E Henry

N. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HT 3921
PICK UNIV.

East Boulting.
March 3 1876.

Dear Sir,

March is here in earnest, and April will soon come. Do you know, yet, where next Assn. meeting will be, & when? I have been an invalid - almost a cripple - the whole winter; feeling all the worse for not hearing from my brother Sengai, whose cas I knew my opposers had, at all times - and I am sorry & ashamed to say I began almost to doubt his confidence in, & gratitude towards his poor sister - But three letters have now reached me in one week -

They - two of them must go into the case, and I would like to have Rev. Dr. H. M. Stimes advise Rev. Mr. James of this -

Mr. James reckoned quite well that it would be no easy task for me to obtain answers from my brother, (who is traveling on the Pacific Coast for his Ins. Company) but God is able to help, against probabilities -

I will bring you the letters - Am not willing to trust them in the mail. Send herewith copies of the parts which show how trustworthy

You see now why Mr. James cannot not produce Rev. Dr. Sengai's last letter to him, which I asked him to hand to the Committee - I would have brought them, but for letter, half, now I require him to obey me, or else, with interest -

S. Pr.

are the statements of Mrs. James. George does not know that his wife intercepts my letters to him, and tries to think well of all, as is his nature, & cant understand why I need to have him tell me that he thinks I am good &c. You can see how Mrs James turned things to suit his own purpose. Tis thus that all that family - his part of it - have, for years, been doing; only to keep me out of what was meant for me by Pa - I wonder at them - Mrs James might not to be so poor as to need to cut me. His grandniece left him several hundred dollars, and his mother - I was told by himself, I think, left two thousand each to her children - but if he has not one cent he should be honest and true -

My health really seems considerably better since George's letters came - Can you believe it? Things have so tormented me - It did seem as if Satan was permitted to handle me as he did Job - "Destroyed on every side" - So last monday I fell on my face before our Lord, who used to hear so quickly while on earth, & besought him to do so by me, saying, "I cannot bear to find that George also is a traitor - O give me back my brother George, to help me endure what falls on me through others" - & since turning prayed - & two good letters came that very day - I wish you could know how my heart was lifted up & filled with gratitude -

I have not laid supinely down to mourn under all these troubles - I got a Greek Testament and Grammar & Greek English Anecdo— and I "tackled" Greek - and then in pain and almost despair, did go at that again - and I have learned it so I can read & understand - Poor reading no doubt; but unspeakable comfort to me - I've read the N. T. through once, and most through Matt. the second time, since I lost my money.

I bought fifty cts worth of "middlings" and it has been my "staff of life" for many weeks - Nobody knows how cheaply life can be sustained until obliged to find out - Good neighbors have provided many things - In this place people saw the papers that were sent for me to sign, and the Post master & clerks, who are cousins & brothers to the town, saw the Postals that were sent to me (& they said those who would send such as well as the ones which I sent) and the people pity me, & are very kind - They are watching, with hearty interest, what the ministers will do -

I had a great mind to send in to the Council the question,

"Did Plymouth Church do right to refuse me a Committee of Conference when I requested it, charging that the pastor of a sister church was fraudulently

would minister me -

and then my heart was lifted up & filled with gratitude

withholding my money?" But I thought it might make more trouble, for Mr. Beecher - I think the church did very wrong - Do you think its trouble is nearly over?

Please let me know if you rec'd & forwarded my letter to my brother Sayre - I hope your health is good, and that your heart & head and hands are, none of them, over weary; and that God will use you as a means of help to me, and of repentance unto life to William James - That rich Mr. Sorjean, whose letter you have, was all burnt out lately - My brother in law, Mr. Bowman also suffered much from being in the fire at Va. City last fall - I hope no more of those who have misused me will be burned; for I may be, somehow, blamed for it - I have lived to see a great many who did willful wrong to the poor & needy terribly punished - It is "the best policy" - though that's a very low motive - to do as we would be done by - as we ought to want done to us - Yours very truly A. Moore -

I wish all would do right & not need punishment -

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3922
TEX UNIV.

Waterbury March 4th 1876

Rev. M E Strieby

Dear Sir

Perhaps I owe you an apology for indecision. I own I am not a strong minded woman. I wanted to take the place so much, because I thought I could make myself so useful to the Association that they would wish to retain me and I could get permanent employment that I liked and could be doing some good in my day and generation.

So I begged you for a little time. I must hear from the friends of my family that I thought would take my children. I must dispose of my home &c. I have just as much zeal, and considerably more

experience then. When I left my home to teach in Texas years ago but I had no incumbrances then I did not give Mr Grant to understand that I could go before another season, must be more sure and know just how I was situated and all about myself and family, but I wanted to go if I could possibly compass it. Now I give it up for the present as impracticable if not impossible. I hope you are a patient man, and that you have learned that neither Rome or a "woman's mind" was made up in a day. I hope you will not think my name off your books but give me a chance to go out next fall. I promise you to go then, if life and health are spared, and to work faithfully. I believe that I could. But I could instant this

church in Waterbury and many good people that I am so happy as to count among my friends to help the work on with their abundant means

Will you not understanding the circumstances position my seeming indecision and please let me hear from you again?

There is a lady here an old teacher member of the Methodist church well qualified who would like the place you offered me. If you wished her services you could telegraph. She is ready and would do well I dare say.

I shall hope to make up to the Association and to join with some day not far distant all the trouble and expense that you have taken for me at this time

Most respectfully and gratefully yours

Hale G. Henry

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

B.

3-6-76

Kate E. Henry
Waterbury -
Vt -

Plainfield, Vt. March 4 — 76.

Cath. Shepard
Plainfield
Vt

1,41
$ 0.35
Mr

Please send one copy of the American Missionary & receipt the enclosed. Direct

to Catharine Shepard.
Plainfield.
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. HI-3923
FISK UNIV.

AMA ARCHIVES
HI-3C2.4
FISK UNIV.

Mrs. D. S. Chamberlin
Peacham Vt
March 5/76 1315
$25 —

Rec'd

Peacham March 5 1876

Ack

Edgar Ritchum Esq Dear Sir

I send you twenty five dollars for the benefit of the American Missionary society which you will find enclosed.

Yours truly Mrs D. S. Chamberlin

Rev. C. Duren
1148 Grand St.
$3 —
March 6/76

$3 —

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3925
FISK UNIV.

Granby, Essex Co, Ct
March 6. 1876

Treas. Am Miss Assoc.

Enclosed please find Three Dollars for Am Miss Assoc. from Cong'l Chh of Granby & vicinity.

Please acknowledge rect. as usual

Yrs. very truly
Chas. Duren, Pastor.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3926
FISK UNIV.

Thomas D. Hall
Pittsford, Vt.
March 6/76 1139
Ack'd $30.85

Pittsford Vt March 6 1876

Mr. Wm. E. Whiting.

Dear Sir

Enclosed I hand you Draft on Nat. Bank of Rutland. for Thirty dollars & Eighty five cents. Contributed by the Pittsford Cong'l Church & Society for the American Missionary Association. Please acknowledge by Receipt & oblige

Yours &c

Thos D Hall. Treas. for Church & Society

G. B. Safford Burlington
March 7/76 1147 Vt
60¢

Rec'd.

Burlington, Vt. March 7. 1876

Wm E. Whiting Esq.

Asst Treas Am. Missy Assn

Please send the Am-
Missionary for the current year
to Mrs. Lyman Austin. Burlington, Vt.
Enclosed 60 cts.

G. B. Safford

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3952
FISK UNIV.

Miss Augusta Moore
East Poultney. Vt.
3-8-76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3928
FISK UNIV.

East Poultney. Vt.
March 8th 76

Rev. George Whipple D.D.

My Dear Sir,

I'm sorry if anything I asked was improper. Did not mean it so. Am perfectly willing Mr. James should hand in any true thing he can find to help his case; if, only, I am duly advised thereof - as I desired him to be. And my letter to George is no testimony - only I wanted to be sure I got all just as it was.

However, I think I see how it seems to you. And I follow at once your suggestion - for George completely disperses of all Wm's claim of sympathy from him

Sincerely do I wish that all men were as impartial as you certainly seem to be.

against me. George never is untrue - though charitable to a fault, and <u>over</u> patient. Faults not too common.

Yours very truly.

Augusta Moore.

B.

J. B. Ameden
Norwich
Vt.

3-17-76
3-22-76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3929
FISK UNIV.

Norwich Vt
March 14/76

Dear Miss Emerson

I have never acknowledged your very kind note of Dec last. In the first place you mentioned going away soon for a month and consequently I delayed replying until such time allowing for contingences, as you might be sure to be in New York. Besides, I was bitterly disappointed at not securing a situation south, and had no heart to write. The winter has been long and not so cold as '75 but it has been one long torture to me. I am wholly without business of any description. nothing to do — literally not even woman's never failing alternative knitting. as for sewing, that supreme solace to the ennuyed, I have exhausted that resource long since. I have nothing to sew, ~~being~~ something like the lady's predicament who had nothing to wear. Shut in by the cold during this ~~past winter I have resorted to my studies~~ for solace and employment. have gone over my Latin with renewed interest. This one day reminded me that perhaps I might possibly get a situation in a family with boys. ~~which~~ I have had very good success

in teaching Latin heretofore. If I could get something of this kind to do in N York. I should so like it. I wonder if it might not do to advertise in some of the dailies. I am now so like a person shut in by prison walls. I so long to be free. having employment would be freedom indeed to me. Can you not think of something for me there in N York. I wonder if there is any prospect of the Association giving me a situation in the Fall.

My dear friend I ought to apologize for troubling you with this. my necessities must be that apology I hope you will soon write me. and suggest something.

In the mean time with many good wishes for your welfare I remain

Yours Truly

J. B. Amsden.

Lottie M. Townsend
Wallingford, Vt.

March 14/76 | 1180
$10 —

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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FISK UNIV.

Wallingford, Vt.
March 14th 1876

W. E. Whiting.

I send you ten dollars ($10.00) to be used towards teaching the Freedmen the religion of Jesus Christ. It is accompanied by the prayer, that the Lord will use it as a means of enlightening some one or more souls, that are being drawn under the influence of Roman Catholicism. —

Yours for the Our Master.
A Friend.

Wm. E. Whiting
Lottie M. Townsend.

C.

4-7-76
4-7-76
4-15-76

Lewis Grout — March 27, 1876

N. Brattleboro, Vt.
March 27/76

E. White Esq
Agt Mass. a. m. a. &c.

Dear Sir —

A Sabbath School class in the Congl Church in St. Albans, Vt. sent $20. to "do good" with in Atlanta University — care of a teacher, Miss Annie L. Grout, who used it to aid a needy pupil in that school — I think it might be well to have it acknowledged in the Am. Missionary — the money was sent last January

Very truly yours

Lewis Grout
Agent a. m. a.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL3932
FISK UNIV.

Respectfully referred to
Mr. Ewer
H.D.

Mrs. Matilda Tenney 1210
Waterbury Vt. $5

Wd.

To the Rev George Whipple March /76

I will sende you five dollers in this. pleas let me know if you. receive it. but do not sende the paper anny more. for Mr Tenny is dead. and thare will not be anny one to receive it.

Mrs Matilda Tenney
Waterbury Vt

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3933
FISK UNIV.

In response to cir
W.D.

Julia Graves
Jericho Centre, Vt
1324

$2

April 5/76

ack'd

H1-3934
FISK UNIV.

April 5, 76

Mr. Whipple

Dear sir,

I enclose $2, a small donation, for the benefit of the freedman.

Yours truly
Julia Graves

Jericho Centre
Vermont

Rev James G. Johnson
Rutland, Vt.

Rec'd

Rutland Vt, April 5, 1876.

1313
$163 76

W. E. Whiting Esq.

Dear Sir

I enclose to you a check for $163.76 - it being the contribution of the Cong'l Ch. of Rutland to the Amer. Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours

Jas. Gibson Johnson
Pastor

A. & M. A. ARCHIVES
No. HI-3935
FISK UNIV.

George Coffin
Chester, Vt.

A. M. & ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3936
FISK UNIV.

April 5/76

1311

~~$5 22~~
$2 —

✓ R.D.

Ack.

Chester Windsor Co. Apr. 5 — 1876
W. B. Whiting Esq.
Dears Sir
enclosed find $2,00 for your
good Society.
Respectfully George Coffin

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3937
FISK UNIV.

G. G. Benedict
Burlington, 1332
Vt $30 —
Apl. 6/76

Burlington, Apl 6 1876

W. E. Whiting Esq
Sec. Am Mis Asso

Enclosed please find postal order for $30.00 my contribution of this Third Cong. Church of Burlington Vt, to the American Miss Asso.

Yr truly
G. G. Benedict
Treas 3d Cong Ch

Mrs Dan Blakely
Pawlet, Vt.

1334 April 8/76
$10-

Rec'd
Pawlet Vt. April 8 - 1876

Mr E Whiting Esq

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Money order of $10.00 to apply to the cause of the American Missionary Association

Yours Respectfully
Mrs Dan Blakely

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3938
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3939
FISK UNIV.

Miss Sarah A. White
Windsor Vt.
April 10/76

1358

$10.50

Mr. N. E. Whiting.

We have lately taken up a collection in our church for the Freedmen, and I have given my mite to this good object. I hartily wish I could give a money response to your urgent call; but have been an invalid many years. I can give my prayers and this is a comfort. I had been wishing to send a trifle for the postage of "American Missionary" and send enclosed.

Very respectfully
Sarah A. White

Windsor Vt. April. 10.

C. M. Spaulding
Jericho Vt
April 21st/76 1401
$10

Jericho Chittenden Co Vt
April 21st 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3940
FISK UNIV.

W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir

Enclosed please find draft of ten dollars which please accept as a gift from my mother Mrs Lucy Spaulding

Yours truly
C. M. Spaulding

L. M. Dean
North Ferrisburgh
April 25 76

Respected Friend, 1408 Pk
W. E. Whiting Treasurer
of American Missionary
Society I enclose is
$15.00 to help your
Cause along. I should
like to know you send
me the American Missionary

L. M. Dean
North Ferrisburgh
Vermont

M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3941
HRK UNIV.

Mrs. Mary B. Burnap
Apl. 26/76 Townshend
1,30 Ok.
$10

Ack

Townshend Vt Apl 26 1876

Rec'd

Mr Vt Miling

Sir

Enclosed please find ten dollars for the American Missionary Association, I have waited hoping that our minister would bring the subject before the people but as he fails to do so think I will not wait longer.

Yours with respect

Mary B Burnap

NO. H1-3942
FISK UNIV.

Stephen Taylor
Apl. 29/76 Rupert, Vt

10,33
7.5

Rupert, Bennington Co. Vt.
April 29, 1876

ARCHIVES
HT 3943
K. UNIV.

W. E. Whiting.

Sir. I inclose five dollars for the benefit of the schools among the freedmen in the south. From a friend in Rupert to the cause of the freedmen

Please direct returns to
Stephen Taylor Rupert,
Bennington County Vermont

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3944
FISK UNIV.

Chester Vermont
Apr 29th 1876

M. E. Whiting
Dear Sir.

Enclosed find $1.50 for the benefit of the poor colored people It is but a trifle but it goes with my prayers for the poor race who have suffered so much

Yours with respect.

Ella B Martin

Ella B. Martin
14 28
$1 50
Chester. Vt.
April 29. 1876
Recd

Rev. E. W. Hatch 1461

$10

East Berkshire, Vt.
May 1st/76

E. Berkshire Vt
May 1st, 76.

Wm E. Whiting Esq.

Find enclosed ten dollars ($10.00) for the A. M. A. — the contribution of the Congregational church of this place.

Yours Truly
E. W. Hatch.
pastor

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3945
FISK UNIV.

Seth Conant
Pomfret Vt
Pomfret Post Office,
Windsor County, Vermont
May 1st — — 1876.

1464
2—

Dear Sir.

I enclose two dollars which after paying for the missionary may be used for the benefit of your cause.

Seth Conant.

HL-3946
FISK UNIV.

Mrs. N. J. Ingraham
Vergennes
Vt

$16.96
7.50

May 8/76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3947
FISK UNIV.

Clerk

Vergennes, Vt. May 8. 76.

Mr. W. E. Whiting
Assistant Treasurer.

Dear Sir,

The inclosed draft for seven dollars and fifty cents ($7.50) is for the American Missionary Association. I would be glad if the sum were many times larger.

I must sincerely hope that more money for your good work will come to hand coming. On the following page I give the names of the different persons who have given toward this amount.

Respectfully
Mrs. N. J. Ingraham
Vergennes

Mr. W. E. Whiting.

Names of Donors

Mr. W. W. Pierce Vergennes. $ 3.00
Mrs. N. A. Saxton Vergennes. $ 2.00
Mrs. Bird Vergennes. $ 1.00
Miss E. C. Benton Vergennes. $ .50
Mrs. N. J. Cunningham Vergennes $ 1.00
$ 7.50.

N.A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

Nathaniel Spencer.
1513 Salisbury
$ 11
May 10/76

The Treasurer of the American Missionary Society will find Enclosed $11.00

Cyrus Bumps — —	$5.00
Nathl Spencer —	5.00
H. W. Shilden — —	1.00
	$ 11.00

I would inform you that Mrs Esther Gibson died on the 1st day of January AD 1875 her Estate is all divided among her heirs

Respectfully
Nathl Spencer
aged 83-6 mos

In response to cir.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3948
FISK UNIV

Fayetteville Vt.
May 12/76 1533
$5 13/76

Fayetteville Windham County Vt
May 12 – 1876

W E Whiting
Enclosed I send you five dollars to be applied for the benefit of the Freedmen as you think best

Asa Kidder

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3949
FISK UNIV.

West Fairlee ~~Apr~~ 26. 1876.
May 24th

M. A.

Inclosing $14.00 from
Mr. H. Cain 28. to be applied
as you think best for the
Freedman & our prayers go with
it

Yours
Superintendent G. W. Perry
West Fairlee
Vermont

G. W. Perry
May 24/76
West Fairlee Vt
157
1.14

28. H1-3950
FREE LIBRARY

Dea. S. Morris,
Norwich Ct.
May 25/76 1589
$25

Norwich Ct May 25th 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3951
FISK UNIV.

Wm E. Whiting Esq

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find $25-00 Twenty five dollars for the American Missionary Society as a donation from Y. which I just wish I were but my means as I told you are different I pay monthly $2.00 or $12.00 a year for Missionary purposes & see that a due proportion the Church contributions go to your Society

Truly yours

S. Morris

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3952
FISK UNIV

E. A. Huntoon

315
6
1890
158
2048

Wallingford Vermont,
May 30

Mr. Whiting

Sir:

Will you please inform me what the amount is due me by the A. M. A. as teacher among the Freedmen.

Very respectfully

E. A. Huntoon

70,256

Note June 15/76 Find an old Bal. due by $45, due her. If this has not been paid, then is due her 45 — Interest 6½ years

2048
$65.48

WR

See letter Nov 8 apt L

Mrs. A. Chandler
Saxtons River Vt
May 1876 1509
$2
ack'd

Mr Whiting

Dear sir

I enclose a small sum 2.00 (an invalid widows mite) for the A. M. Association — May God bless abundently its benevolent work, and may contributions to its treasury be largely increased.

Yours Respectfully —
Mrs A. Chandler —
Saxtons River Vt.

AI-3953
FISK UNIV.

Benson, Vt.
June 2/76 1876
$2 —

Benson Vt June 2d

Mr Strieby

Please find enclosed two dollars for Am Miss Asst. from one who loves your cause & prays for your treasury, that it may be filled —

Yours Respe

AM. M. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3957
FISK UNIV.

Stephen Whipple 1867
South Shaftsbury Vt. 56

R.D.

So Shaftsbury June 8th 1876

Rev. George Whipple Sec (W)
I Stephen Whipple do send
5,00 five Dollars to pay for what
is due for my paper the Ame-
-rican Missionary and for
the benefit of the Association
Please Receipt it and Oblige an
Old friend of freedom and a
poor Baptist poor frail man

1876
22 Sept 1781 the record day I was born
S. W.

1876. 6. 5
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3955
FISK UNIV.

A. E. ~~Sheldon~~ McLean
Sheldon Vt.
Ok 40.00

"Congress Hall" Sheldon Vermont
June 3rd 1876

Mr. W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir
I enclose you a $40. money order.
Please use it to advance Christ's cause among the Freedmen
Respectfully Yours
A. E. McLean

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3956
FISK UNIV.

B. Rev. J. H. Amsden

6-9-76

6-28

Peru Vt. June 5. 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3957
FISK UNIV.

Dear Brother -

I am looking for a field of labor, in a warmer climate on account of Mrs Amsden health. Rev Lewis Grout of West Brattleboro was here a day or two since & spoke of the South - & asked me how I should like a field in the South; if providence should seem to direct - me to a field there, I should be happy to labor there.

I might say that Brother Grout was at my place & spoke in ~~behalf~~ behalf of the A. M. Society, as your agent. I am 47 years old. Myself & wife constitute all the family, though we have a nephew with us now, but he is old enough to take care of himself. If it should be the leadings of providence I should like a field in the South, & be sent out as one of your Missionaries

as a man & Pastor I would refer you to Rev Lewis Grout of West-Brattleboro Vermont, & Rev A. C. Field of Wilmington Vermont.

I can bring good recommendations from Ministerial Association, & also from council.

If it should please the Lord I should like to go out as your Missionary next year, or the coming year, for I feel that Mrs Amsden can not safely remain here on the mountains another winter.

Yours in the gospel of Christ

S H Amsden

Be pleased to hear from you.

Wrote Mr. Grout 6-9-76

1533
75

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3958
FISK UNIV.

June 7th 1876

Fayetteville Windham County Vt

Mr W E Whiting

I enclosed in a letter five dollars to you for the use of the ~~Freed~~ Freedmen in a registerd letter dated the 2 of May 1876

The P M through mistake directed it to Mr Whitney Read street 56 N Y

as I did not receive any acknowledgement that you had received the money I thought I would write you to see if you could let me know any thing about it

The P M has received a returne that the letter was received

Asa Fidder

75 Not found. NEW

Time no record of it W.E.

1533 May 15th W. E. Whiting 2 Letters

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3959
FISK UNIV.

Cambridge Vt, June 8. 1876

Wm E. Whiting Esq
Act. Treas, A. M. A.

Please find enclosed $25,00

Dea. Solomon Montague	Cambridge Vt	10.00
Mrs. Mary Waterhouse	"	5.00
" Madison Safford	"	5.00
Mr. L. M. Safford	"	5.00
		$25 00

Your letter containing receipt for 51.34 duly rec
If you invested where it is safe & yielding 8 pr ct you are fortunate for on account of losses the bank paid no dividend last Jan. & may not next July. — I will say to you that if for any cause that money does not suit the Association & pr ct please let me know it for I do not wish to be credited for more than you receive. —
As Dea. Montague is entitled to send a name for L. M. he sends "Byron R. Holmes, Cambridge Vermont." —
I hope to send you more before long, but several former contributors whose friends & neighbors have suffered by fire, ~~that they~~ may divert their aid to home calls. —

Respectfully yours
Madison Safford

Marriner Saffordl.
Cambridge
1900
725
June 8/76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3960
FISK UNIV.

W. Brattleboro, Vt.
June 12/76

Rev. M. E. Strieby
Sec. A. M. A.

Dear Sir —

I am just home from a lecturing tour & find your of the 9th making inquiry in respect to Rev. Mr. Lamson of Penn. I wish I could recommend him as a man suited to our work in the South, but really I shrink from it. I fear he is lacking in some very desirable qualities for our work in that field.

Yours fraternally,
Lewis Grout

P. S. Should you wish me to be more particular I will write again L. G.

B.) Rev. Lewis Grout
6-13-76 W., Brattleboro
(Amsden) 3/4.

James D. & Duncan
Shelburn Vt
June 12/76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HF-3961
FISK UNIV.

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Shelburn Vt. June 12th/76

Mr. W. E. Whiting Asst. Treas. A.M.A.
56 Reade St. New York

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send my check on First Nat. Bk. of Plattsburgh N.Y. for Ten Dollars which please apply to the good work of your association and if you please let this with the 25¢ I sent last Oct. constitute George F. E. Duncan a life member & send his certificate to him at this P.O.

It will not be necessary to send the magazine to him at present or to continue the one to John D. C. Duncan

at Burlington so long
as you are sending a copy
to our family at this P.O.

Yours Respectfully
Jas. D. Duncan
Shelburn
Chittenden Co
Vt.

A. W. Kenney
1746
Royalton, Vt. $46.—
June 17/76

Rec'd

Royalton, Vt. June 17th 1876.

Wm. E. Whiting Asst. Treas. A. M. A.

Dear Sir: I enclose my Chk. $46. which please forward to Mrs. Mary M. Chase towards the support of a pupil at Atlanta University.

Resply yours.

A. W. Kenney.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3962
FISK UNIV.

Student aid

Mrs. Nathan J Smith Clarendon June 19th 1876

1751 Clarendon

$5 — Ok

June 19th/76

W. E. Whiting

Dear Sir

769.

At this late hour you will find enclosed 5 Dollars for the A. M. Association to be used where thought best

Mrs Nathan J Smith

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3963
FISK UNIV

CHAS. B. SWIFT,
Manufacturer of
FURS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
148 Main Street,

C. B. Swift 1776
St Albans $27.34
Vt June 20/76

D.

St. Albans, Vt., June 20th 1876

Wm E. Whiting Esq
Trea. Am Mis. Ass.
Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find draft for 27.34 of this amt. 20.00 is from Dea. Geo. Adams Enosburgh Vt towards debt of the association. & 6.34 from the Congl. Church Georgia Vt and 1.00 from Montgomery Vt both for the ordinary Expenses of the ass.

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

Ack'd

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HT 3964
FISK UNIV.

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6-26-26

Mary Leech
Ryegate
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3965
FISK UNIV.

Ryegate Vt. June 20 76

Rev. E. M. Cravath.

Dear Sir -

With my cousin Miss Nelson I wish to spend six or eight of the coming months in the South going out the first of Sept.

You will remember of the work of brother Eustis and myself in Alexandria, Beaufort and Warrington. Perhaps you will remember of our calling on you and to do gospel work last winter, in which we met with God's blessing.

We wish this time as heretofore to go at our own expense and wish to labor among the classes that are most needy.

Are there places where there are one or two hundred cotton field hands or workmen of any discription, who are unable to attend public schools; who are unable to get an education and whom it would be a blessing to help? As we are desirous of laboring in such a field any information in this regard will be very very gratefully received. And as you are acquainted with the condition of the South your kindness in giving us information may save us expense and weeks of toilsome search. My brothers sister and my self have

devoted our life to work among the colored people but my cousin is undecided and I am desirous that her first impression of the work may be favorable. She is an earnest Christian well educated and will like the work if it is only evident that she is doing good.

Respectfully yours.

Miss Mary S. Leth
Ryegate Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No.
FISK UNIV.

Miss Anna C. Park 17711
30.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3966
FISK UNIV.

Bennington Vt
21st June 1876.

ack'd by W.

R. E. Whiting,

Dear Sir,

"The American Missionary" comes in with "an earnest appeal", recalling the time when for a few months I was a Missionary heart & soul. Heart & Soul I am still interested in your great work, the importance of which is not comprehended by Christians of America. They will wake up too late, after the Freedmen are bound hand & foot in the snares of Roman Catholicism, & there will be so much to undo before doing what is the right.

30

So I send $30. to constitute me [Anna C. Park] a life member of your association. I wish it was twice as much, & may God bless its use, & help you through this hard year.

With cordial interest in the A. M. A., in all its forms of labor

Yours respectfully
Anna C. Park.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3962
FISK UNIV.

Charles Felton
Franklin,
Ct.

1822
$1.500
June 27/76

Franklin June 27th 1876

Rev. Geo Whipple

Dr Sir

I enclose you a Draft for $125, payable to the order of Rev. Geo Whipple, for $14.75 — it being the sum agreed upon by all parties concerned — we have all signed the necessary papers & for the most part satisfactory to each — I am I hope confident that I have done for you & others that could be done — ~~for~~ it has come out of pocket dear and in litigation — the attorneys fees and costs giving being in all "some $100" for doing very little indeed — we can imagine whether there would be much opposition in a thorough contest

If I have been of any service to you I freely give it to the association — trusting your work will be blessed for usefulness & progress — that hundreds ~~[illegible]~~ of dark minds shall be light from ignorance & superstition — by the offerings of many departed brethren

Yours truly

Charles Felton

I found it impossible to get this off ~~as soon~~ yesterday but hasten to send to day

C F

(It was delayed about one week from sickness of one of the parties)

Estate of Edwin Felton
(compromise in full)

Hervey Stone 1810

Swanton Vt. 6

Swanton June 28 - 1836

Mr W. E. Whiting

Dear Sir

you will find enclosed six dollars as a donation from Hervey, Eliza and Harriet M. Stones for the general object of the American Missionary Society

Hervey Stone

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3968
FISK UNIV.

C. C. Long 1811
6

Swanton Vt.

Swanton Vt
June 28/76

Mr Whiting
Dear Sir
Enclosed Please find
Six Dollars which you
will Please worth the
association Most Needy
its to Office

Yours truly
C. C. Long

Jun 28/76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3969
FISK UNIV.

Principal Warehouses.

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Fairbanks & Ewing	PHILADELPHIA, Pa.
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Fairbanks & Co	LOUISVILLE, Ky. ST. LOUIS, Mo.
Fairbanks & Hutchinson	SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.
Manufacturers.	
E. & T. Fairbanks & Co	St JOHNSBURY, VT.

Elijah D Blodgett
St Johnsbury Vt

1835
60
Vt

Fairbanks Scale Manufactory,

St. Johnsbury, Vt. June 30. 1876.

Ack

H. E Whiting asst Treasurer
American Missionary Association.
56 Reade Street New York.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3970
FISK UNIV.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find E & T Fairbanks & Co. draft on Fairbanks & Co. New York. to your order for the sum of sixty dollars. Amount of Contribution to General Expenses fund.

pm. Lenas Wood Esq.	St Johnsbury Vt.	$50.00
and E D Blodgett	" "	$10.00
and to Constitute.		$60.00

Horace Eaton D.D. of Palmyra N.Y.
and Mrs. Eliza H. Blodgett. of St Johnsbury Vt } Life Members
of consistent with the rules of the association.

Very Respectfully.
Yours
Elijah D Blodgett

U. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-3971
UNIV.

Madison Safford
Cambridge
Vt

1873
$20

Cambridge Vt. July 3. 1876

ans

E. Whiting Esq
s. A. M. Association

Please find enclosed
in P. O. order

Solomon Montague, Cambridge Vt,		$10.00
& Mrs. O. W. Reynolds	"	5.00
Harlow Wires	"	5.00
		$20.00

ontague is over 91 years old & has long
L. M. of the A. M. A. & his pragen is that every
hat is able, be requested to give a like sum
Association now in this their pressing need.

Yours Madison Safford

the liberty of sending the name of
s G. Morse, Cambridge Vt, L. M.
Morse
send him the A. M. m. s.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-397
UNIV.

Madison Safford
Cambridge
Vt

1873
$20

Cambridge Vt. July 3. 1876

Wm E. Whiting Esq
Act. treas. A. M. Association

Dear Sir I enclose
$20.00 in P. O. order
Dra. Solomon Montague, Cambridge Vt, $10.00
Mr. & Mrs. O. W. Reynolds " " 5.00
Mr. Harlow Wires " " 5.00
$20.00

Dea. Montague is over 91 years old & has long been a L. M. of the A. M. A. & his prayer is that every L. M. that is able, be requested to give a like sum to the Association now in this their pressing need.—

Yours Madison Safford

I take the liberty of sending the name of Julius G. Morse, Cambridge Vt, L. M.
Please send him the A. M. m. s.

1844

S. H. Bascom

Orwell Oct. 19. 38

Orwell Vt July 30/76

Wm E. Whiting Treasurer
A. M. Association

Enclosed find $19.38
for A. M. Association from
Cong. C. & So. in this place
Please rec't

S. H. Bascom

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-3972
FISK UNIV.

CHAS. B. SWIFT,
Manufacturer of
FURS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
148 Main Street,

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3973
FISK UNIV.

Chas. B. Swift
Saint Albans 1893
Vt. $92 04

St. Albans, Vt., July 6th 1876

Rev Wm E. Whiting
Acty

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find draft for 92.04. Of this amt. 82.04 is the semi annual contribution of the first Cong. Church & So. of St Albans Vt. to the Am. Miss. Asso. and 10.00 is from the Cong. Church & Society of Georgia Vt for the same object.

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

A. M. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3924
UNIV.

A. E. McLean
Sheldon Springs
Ok 1956
Fin — Vt.

Congress Hall, Sheldon Springs
July 12 1896

Mr. W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Money Order for $20.
Please use it for the "Good Cause" among the Trainmen

Respectfully yours
A. E. McLean

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt
July 15/16
1957
$71.68

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3975
FISK UNIV.

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Brattleboro, Vt., July 15 1876

Mr. N. E. Whiting Dr. to

Enclosed I send you

Seventy One & 68/100 Dollars $71.68

in payment of Dom. on Order

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson & Co

E. H. Pettengill on D. Sartons Rent	5 =	✓
Ch. in West Townshend	9.45	✓
" " " Brattleboro	25.63	✓
" " " Westminster	25.60	✓
" " — Jamaica	6.	
	$71.68	

C. J M. B. Kinsley
Bennington
Vt.
7-16-76
7-26-76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

July 15, 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3976
FISK UNIV.

Bennington, Vt. July 16th/76

Rev. E. M. Strieby,

A motion to appropriate a portion of the Miss. fund of our S. School for the benefit of the Hampton Institute was made in the School to day, and is to be acted upon next Sabbath. The sum named was Sixty dollars, object, to furnish one of the rooms in Virginia Hall, and I write you to ask if this money shall be sent through your Treasury, as we would prefer, or directly to

the Financial Sec. of the Institute? And will it entitle the school to name two life members of the A. M. A.?
We like to utilize our funds by constituting Life Members as it increases the interest of the School in the good work, and the persons honored of course have an increased interest in the cause with which they are thus identified.
Will you please write me in reply so that I may get it before next Sabbath.
Yours in behalf of the 2nd Cong'l S.S.
Mary B. Kinsley

C. S. M. B. Kinsley
Bennington
Vt.
7-16-76
7-26-76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

#93

Springfield, Vt July 24th 1873

N. E. Whiting Esq
Asst. Treas. &c.

I have disposed of the Bank shares owned by Miss Elizabeth Barrett deceased, for the sum of $125.00. I retain $1. and divide the balance between the two securities as follows 3/4ths to Gen. Miss Ass'n remitting $93.00 in Drft. on the Bostn.

Yours &c Henry Gleason

93
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124.

Henry Gleason
Springfield
Vt.
$93
July 26/76

Entered
E. W. H.
on B

A. M. E. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3979
FISK UNIV.

B.) Cora D. Brown.
7-26-76 Waterbury -
Vt.

N.A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3922
FISK UNIV.

Waterbury, Ct. July 24th 1870

Mr. Whipple

Dear sir

Please excuse my trespassing upon your very valuable time with this letter: but I have felt, a very long time, a great interest in the freedmen, and an earnest desire to be of assistance to them; if I could do any thing for them, either as teacher or missionary. For that reason I wish to ask what is most needed. What a lady can do? I am very much interested in Chemistry, and have studied

it considerable. Could I be of any use anywhere as teacher in that branch if thoroughly fitted for it? If I can be of no use in that way I wish to know what is needed; so that, should the way open for me to go South, I might know something what kind of labor to fit myself for.

I do not expect to be able to go this fall and do not know how the Lord may lead me in the future; but if I can be of any service in this cause in the South I am very anxious to do what I can remembering that he receives even the widows mite.

Should you think best to answer these questions please direct to

Morrisville. Pa. Care C. S. Wilder.

Praying ever for the blessing of our Redeemer upon the labors of the Association. I am very respectfully yours. Cora F. Brown.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3929
FISK UNIV.

Ryegate Vt. July 25. 76

A. M. A.

Dear Friends

My two sisters a lady friend & my self intend teaching colored schools in the south again the coming fall & winter We have got the schools pretty well started at Alexandria Va. and we are on the out look for another field. We wish to find a community where they do not have any schools no matter how hard a place & we will go and in the help of the Lord try and teach them Please inform me soon if you know of such a place

In haste

Very truly

G. W. Leitch

B. G. W. Leitch
Ryegate
Vt.
7-28-76
8-5-76

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3980
FISK UNIV.

Post Mills
July 26th 1870.

To the American Missionary Association:-

I am anxious to obtain a situation as teacher in one of your Southern schools. Is there a vacancy in the school at Atlanta. I should like a school in that city very much. I have had some experience as a teacher, and could furnish a recommend if wanted. If there is no vacancy in the schools at present would you take my name and let me hear of when there is a place.

Respectfully

Emma Guild. Post Mills. Vt.

B. Emma Guild
7-28-76 Port Mills
8-4-76 Vt.

E. C. Chamberlin
Rockham, Vt.
$20 —

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3981
FISK UNIV.

Rockham July 31 1876

Mr W. E. Whiting Dr Sir

I learn that you are in urgent need of aid to carry on the operations of the American missionary association. Believing that your cause is an important one and that your society is doing a good work in that direction I send you twenty dollars and may God bless your labors.

Yours truly E C Chamberlin.

Good Friends

H. Hassett
West Enosburg
2.10 q 01-

A. L. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 61-3982
FISK UNIV.

Aug 1/76 $5 —

ack

West Enosburg Vt Aug 1st 76

Mr H Whiting

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find $5.00 to aid you in your work of love in raising the needy and exalting them of low degree. May your efforts be greatly prospered

Your Obedient Servant
H Hassett

A. M. A. ARCHIVE
NO HI-3983
FISK UNIV.

A. Birchard

Hagerstown Aug. 3 1876

Rev. W. E. Whiting Treas.
Am. Missionary Association
New York City

Dear Sir

Yours of 1st inst. rec'd last evening
And as there is a great mistake
in the amount of your Check I return
your check on the 4th National Bank
for $300 herein enclosed, an trust
you will return one of $105 the true
amount due me as stated in yr letter

I never received the Am. Missionary
Magazine for June and was told
at the P. Office several times during
the month of June ~~that~~ that the pack
age had not been received —

Can you explain. I call
at the Office this morning, Post Master
Mr Shiff both being absent I could get
no Explanation of the matter Will you send
my June No Very Respectfully Yours
A. Birchard

aug 13, 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3984
FISK UNIV.

Bakersfield Vt Aug 7

Miss D. E. Emerson

Dear Friend — We left Phil a week ago today — arrived in N Y intending to go to the Rooms but it was raining hard, evidently a settled rain — My friends were all out of the City, & we only cared to go to Reade St — & as it was so bad to go out we decided to take the 3 P M train & come right on — It cleared afterward & we almost regretted we did not stay & take night train as we had planned — We enjoyed our visit at the Centennial very much — You

will understand how much, when you visit it yourself — It was far more wonderful than I anticipated

We met a number of the Teachers from different places, at Mr Lords, which made it very pleasant for us —

My travelling expenses, independent of all expenses at Phil were $54.60 — You had sent me $50 for travelling ex before leaving Memphis — and all my salary I believe — There remains yet due me $4.60 — which you will please send when convenient — It costs me more from N Y home, than it does Miss Stevens

How soon shall you go to the Centennial? I would not advise any one to go until cooler weather — But yet for teachers, it is better to take it on the way home and rest afterward —

I think it would be one of the poorest preparations possible, for a year of labor, to spend in two weeks time all the strength a vacations rest had given them — The heat here is extreme, °98 or over — I am doing the best I can at resting, but it is not very easy to gain very much such weather —

Please write at your earliest convenience —

Ever your friend —

E. M. Parker.

Letter recd. Aug. 9th. Ck for 4.60 sent as per request — Letter written by Miss Horton.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. _____
FISK UNIV.

K. E. M. Barnes
8-11-70 Bakersfield
8-24-76 Vt.

Mr. A. Woolsey
Springfield Ohio
Aug. 8/76 2143
$250—

Springfield Oh. Aug 8th 76

Mr W. P. Whiting Asst Treas
A M A Missionary Association

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed
Two hundred fifty Dollars for Christ
work among Freedmen
Yours truly
A Woolsey

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3985
FISK UNIV.

Aug. 10, 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-3986
FISK UNIV.

Bakersfield Vt. Aug 10. 1876

Miss J. E. Emerson

Dear Friend — I had just mailed a letter to you, when yours arrived, which will have explained to you, why we did not call at the Rooms on our return —

As to going South again, I am inclined to go although I am not yet very much rested —

We saw Mr Cravath at Phil — He urged me very hard to go to Fisk University — I was not

8-24-76

prepared to give him an answer then, but have now written him that if he still desires it I will go, if you see fit to send me — He may have changed his mind ere this, if not, shall I go there? —

Did Mr Slade write for Miss Stevens & myself to return to Memphis? he told her he did, but you did not mention it —

Please write me if you approve of the change if Mr Cravath should write me to come.

Respectfully Yours

E. M. Paine

Mrs. M. B. Kinsley
Bennington Vt.
Aug. 12/76
2142
$5
Ack

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-3987
FISK UNIV.

Note sent to Dea Bingham
Said he will send
Gen. Wm. when she sends
receipt

Vt

Bennington Aug. 12th 1876

Wm. E. Whiting

Dear Sir

I send you a check for Five dollars for the A. M. Association. Am glad to be able to give even this small amt to aid in your work. Please acknowledge as "A Tenth" in Mag. If this may be applied as a payment on a Life Membership for which I have sent some former instalments, will you be kind enough to mention in your reply how much I have paid on the same.

Yours most truly

Mrs M. B. Kinsley.

to comst Dea Bingham

I was very sorry not to see you on the way home but it was raining very hard & the cars were so crowded that we thought best not to stop. We were in Shelby nearly three weeks and I was very tired & am getting rested and feeling quite well now. I had a very pleasant Morrow.

I hope I shall hear from you very soon. Shall be quite to mean until I do, for I had supposed Cousin & should return and have tied all my friends so.

Your friend
S. A. Stevens.

St. Johnsbury Aug. 15. 1876

A. M. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3988
FISK UNIV.

Aug. 15, 1876

Miss Emerson,

Dear Friend,

Miss Barnes has sent me your letter asking whether we wish to return South in the Fall.

I supposed that matter was decided before I left Memphis. Mr Steele said he wanted me to return and I have made all my plans to do so. I left nearly all my winter clothing there and my pictures and various other things. I understood

Mr Little that he had written you or would write as to who of the old teachers he wished to have return. I had a letter from him to night in which he hopes I am getting well rested and that I am still expecting to return to M. He said when I left that if any thing should happen to prevent my return he would send my things to me by express.
I am not willing to give up the work yet and if I teach at all I would rather go to Memphis than to a new place—
And now about my health. I think from what Mr Little writes that some one has given you a wrong impression about my being sick. I am not sick and was not out of school a day last year on account of sickness. I heard of my fathers death on Saturday and as the funeral was to be Monday I did not feel like teaching and my school was dismissed for one day this was the only day I missed during the year. My nervous system has never been very strong since the terrible time I passed through during the Yellow Fever, and my fathers sudden death was a terrible shock to me and I have not fully recovered from it yet. I was very nervous for a long time and could not sleep nights and had a terrible headache &c. Miss Barner would send for the Dr, and kept sending, and he came to see me several times and gave me a few sugar pills and a few drops of medicine every time he came and he finally succeeded in quieting my nerves and curing my headache, it never aches now— and I am getting rested and am growing fleshy and shall be just

as good as new by Oct. I shall spend several weeks out in the country on the farms and run wild in the fields. I reckon that I shall be able to do as much work as any of the Memphis teachers, I am certainly a great deal better able to teach than Miss Barnes or Miss Ida Allen. Mr Cravath wants Miss Barnes to go to Nashville and take charge of the boys but I am afraid she is not strong enough. I have always been very kinder of her since she had the Yellow Fever, and I fear she cannot stand boarding school fare with no one to watch over her. She wants to teach in one of the Universities and will not be contented until she has tried one. I shall not make any effort to keep her from going this year, if it is the Lords will I must submit, but it will be a terrible trial to me.

Please let me know if I am to return to Memphis.

My expenses home were fifty dollars and twenty five cents.

I believe our accounts for the year are settled.

Aug 11, 1876

Aug 19th

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3989
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury Vt.
Aug 16, 76

Miss Emerson –

After writing you that letter last night, there was an idea struck me and I thought I would mention it to you and see how it would strike you, it may not strike you at all favorably and if not it will be all right –
If Miss Barnes does not return to Memphis there will have to be some one of the teachers appointed to take her place

and as I have been teaching all the time for so many years I did not know but I might be relieved from teaching for an hour or so a day and take charge of the family, in other words be the matron, & have thought for several years that I should like that position, & have always known all about the arrangements of the family since I have roomed with Miss Barnes and we have always planned and worked together, and I do not think it would be as hard for me to teach part of the time and have charge of the work as it is to teach all the time — & have always known and helped so much about the work that it would seem quite natural for me — Miss Barnes may decide to return to Memphis

and if so she is the best matron that could possibly be found — She does not know that such an idea has ever entered my head and I would rather you would not mention it to her unless she goes to Fisk or some other place — It may be that you have some one appointed and if so it will not make any particular difference to me. I can teach all the time as I always have done — I have faith to think that I could give satisfaction if I should receive the appointment — Please let me know what you think of my plan —

Mr Stile writes that they have a little son, and that Mrs S. seems quite lame — She was lame for two or three weeks after the birth of her other child — Your friend

L. A. Stevens —

A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3990
FISK UNIV.

Mrs M. B. Kinsley
Bennington, Vt.
Aug. 17/76

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Bennington Aug 17th 1876

H. E. Whiting

Dear Sir.

Yours, ~~acko~~ acknowledging receipt of money received. I think I have already named one Life Member since 1866 Mrs E. H. Myers of Cleveland Ohio. I have no memoranda of money sent you, sending it as I am able to give, but would like to name Dea. Hiram Bingham of Bennington Vt — as the person

to whom certificate may be sent if you think right to send it. Were my ability equal to my desires your treasury should speedily be filled to overflowing. Meantime I do what I can for a cause very dear to my heart

Yours truly

M. B. Kinsley

Enclosed find 5 cts for Mag.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3991
UNIV.

Ms. Silas Wheeler
West Randolph, Vt
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West Randolph Vt Aug. 18th — 76

Dear Sir

I send you one dollar (the product of my own labor) for the benefit of the American Missionary Association. I fear that it is the last I shall be able to send you. I am seventy three years old and not able to do much work.

That the blessing of God may attend the labors of that society is the sincere wish of your friend

Mrs. Silas Wheeler

Alice M. Warren
Berlin, Vt.

Aug. 18, 1876.

2176 1/2
50 c

W. E. Whiting,
Asst Treas. A. M. A.

After two years in the Southern work, I wish to keep informed concerning its progress. Enclosed find 50 c. for which, please send me "The American Missionary" one year, commencing with the Sept. number.

Very Truly,

Alice M. Warren,
Berlin,
Vermont.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3992
FISK UNIV.

S. H. Bascom
Orwell, Vt.
Aug. 21/76

2185
$17

Orwell Vt August 21/76

Mr Whiting

Enclosed find
Dft for $17.00 for A.M.A.
Association from C. Ch & So in
this place

S. H. Bascom

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3993
FISK UNIV.

Aug. 23, 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3994
FISK UNIV.

Bakersfield Vt Aug 23. 1876

Miss S. E. Emerson

In reply to a letter from you relative to another year's work, I wrote saying that Mr Beard wished me to go to Nashville; asking if you thought best to appoint me there — I had also written to Mr Beard that I thought I would go — I have not heard a word from him or from the Rooms, and the first of Sept is near at hand — If I am to go to Nashville I would like to know it as soon as possible — Please write me immediately — Respectfully Yours

E. M. Barnes

R.) E. M. Barnes
8-25-76 Bakersfield
8-25-76 Vt.

Mrs. E. H. Evans
Berlin
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Aug. 1876

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Mr N E Whiting

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find ten cts in scrip to pay the postage on the American Missionary for the present year beginning last January.

Very Respectfully

Mrs E H Evans.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3995
FISK UNIV.

A. M. E. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3996
FISK UNIV.

Townshend Vt Aug 30th 76

Rev M. E. Strieby

Dear friend

I am reminded that my vacation is passing rapidly, and I must begin to think of the plans for Savannah. I must govern my visit here, by the time of returning there, wishing to stop at the Centennial on my way. Please write me at once, directing to Townshend Vermont. I shall remain here till Tuesday the 5th then go to Mass. I would like to hear from you before I leave, as I shall not hurry back to Saratoga. Unless you wish me to be in Sar. Oct 1st instead of later.

Yours very truly

R. H. Tavishell

P.

10-1-76
10-4-76

E. M. Mitchell
Townshend
Vt.

A Friend
Hubbardton, Vt
Aug. 1876 2191
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W.E. Whiting.
56 Reade St. N.Y.

Dear Sir; Inclosed please find One Dollar ($1.00) for A.M.Association. Yours Truly
A Friend.

D.J. F
Hubbardton
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3992
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-389
FISK UNIV.

Wallingford Vermont.
Sept 1st 1876.

Rev George Whipple

Dear Sir

Please excuse me for intruding upon your time, but wishing for information which I knew not how to obtain otherwise I write this letter, thinking if you could not answer my inquiries you could direct me to some one who would give me the wished for information. My self and sister think we would enjoy spending the coming winter at the South and prefer having something to occupy our time and minds while there, and would like much to have it for the

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improvement of the Blacks could we find such work that we would be qualified to perform, for myself I should like teaching were it not in an advanced school for my own education is only that of a common school, but I thought by reviewing my books this fall I could attempt to teach beginners, tho I am ignorant as to what is expected of a teacher, or what are the required qualifications. My sister would prefer some other work to teaching could it be obtained. Please let me know at the earliest opportunity what positions there are for two women, and what wages could be obtained. Should you wish for more knowledge of ourselves than this letter contains I think it could easily be obtained from Rev Aldace Walker congregational pastor in this village.

Very Respectfully

Lydia S Townsend.

B.

Lydia L. Townsend
Wallingford
Vermont

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
FISK UNIV.

Sept. 5, 1876

Johnsburg
Sept. 6th 1876

Emerson

Dear Friend

I don't know as your letter required an answer still I thought it might be well for me to inform you of the state of my health at the present time.

I am getting quite rested and am feeling a great deal better than when I left Memphis. I am taking life easy this vacation, am living nearly all

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-3999
FISK UNIV.

my leaving home and am
having a fine time visiting
and visiting in the country
I do not feel like the same
person that I did two months
ago and I think I can
safely say that I am well
and strong enough to teach
another year. I am not
obliged to teach and home
I work I feel willing
to give up teaching and
remain quietly at home
but I am too much interested
in the A. M. A. work to do
this.
I am long on a great many
accounts to be separated from
Miss Barnes for we have lived
together so long that the

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very dear to me, but since she had the Yellow fever she has been very nervous and I thought last year that she helped to make me more nervous than I should otherwise have been. It may be best for us to be separated for a time until both our nervous systems have recovered from the effects of that terrible fever. She has always wanted to teach in a University and I hope she will be happy at it. I hope you will make her duties there as light as possible for she is not strong enough to endure very much. The worst one that she is not at all vested. I am so sorry

K 9-7-76
9-16-76

Mr. Read to go as soon as I can find out before the year is over.

She thinks Mr Little did not want her to return but I think he did for he told me that he had written to N. Y. asking to have us both return. If he disliked her at all it was because Mrs Little took such a dislike to her and it may be that he thinks if she is not there he can take Mrs Little into the house again. I sincerely hope that the N. M. A. will not allow her return for I think it is too much of all of teachers to live with such a crazy woman as she is nearly all the time. Will it be necessary for me to go to N. Y. would it not be just as cheap for me to go to Boston and then go by the Cleveland and Lake Shore route. I would like to be in Trenton this or three days before school opens for the carpet in my room needs a deal of work upon it before it is put down and I would

Rec. T. S. Hubbard Rochester,
2268
9/5/76 $21 Vt

Rochester, N.Y. Sept 5th 1876

Mr Whiting

Dear Sir The enclosed order ($21.00) is from the Congl. ~~[illegible]~~ for the A.M.A.
in behalf of Sor
T. S. Hubbard

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4000
FISK UNIV.

Lucy E. Rice
Vershire, Vt.
Sept. 11/76

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. H1-4001
FISK UNIV.

Ack'd

Vershire, Vt. Sept. 11, 1876.

W. E. Whiting,
Assistant Treasurer, A. M. A.

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed one dollar as my contribution to the American Missionary Association. I have noted with sorrow the falling off in the contributions and wish I could do more than this to help a cause which is dear to my heart.

Yours truly,
Lucy E. Rice.

L. J. L. E. Strong
9-20-76 St. Johnsbury
9-21-76 Vt.

A.M.E. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4062
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury Vt.
Sept. 18. 1876.

Rev. M. E. Strieby

Dear Sir.

Your letter of 14th inst. was forwarded here & rec'd this morning.

Since you give me my choice in making the journey I greatly prefer to go by rail, I fear sea sickness so much.

I shall be glad to go in the company of the teachers who leave on the 26th. I suppose they go from New York. Will you please write once again when I and when I shall

meet them so I may not fail of company at least a part of the way.

Very respectfully

J. E. String.

K. S. A. Stevens
9-21-76 St. Johnsbury
9-21-76 Vt.

Sept. 20, 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. A1-4003
FISK UNIV.

St Johnsbury
Sept 20. 1876

Miss D. E. Emerson -
Dear Friend -
Your letter was received yesterday. It will not make any particular difference to me which way I go and I will come to N. G. as requested shall leave home Monday morning if nothing happens I think one of my brothers will be with me on his way to Phila-

I have gained ten pounds since I came home and am feeling almost as good as new.
I would like very much to have you send me a check for travelling expenses for I have been obliged to use a great deal of money this summer and shall be obliged to draw funds from money deposited in the Bank — and this I would rather not do.

Yours in haste —

Sarah A. Lerem

Rev. S. McKeen
Bradford 2380
Vt. $10
Sept 25/76

Bradford Vt Sept 25 1876

Mr Whiting, please place to my credit, and acknowledge as usual, Ten Dollars, for the benefit of the A. Miss. Association and oblige your friend,

Rev Silas McKeen

Bradford Vt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4004
FISK UNIV.

D. D. Wead Sept. 27/76.
Sheldon Vt

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$10 — Sheldon Vt
Sept 27. 1876

E Ketchum Esq

Asking Treas

Dr Sir Please find enclosed Ten dollars (by M O for 10¢) contributed by Long Ch & Society of this place to AM A Association

Yours truly
D D Wead

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4005
FISK UNIV.

Ezbon Sanford
Williston, Vt.
Oct. 3/76 2451

Ack $10—

Williston Vt. 3. 1876

Dear Sir I enclose you a draft on Ten Dollars to aid in the cause of American Missionary Association I should be glad to more I should sent before hoping that our people would have taken up their Annual Collection which they will do for that object.

Yours Ezbon Sanford

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4006
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Jericho, Vt $10.35
Oct 3/76

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Jericho, Chittenden Co. Vt.
Oct 3. 1876.

W. E. Whiting Assistant Treas
of Am. Miss. Society Sir
Enclosed please find check
of $10.35 in dollars as a donation
from the 2d Cong Church &
Society of this place
Yours C. Van Vliet Treas

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4007
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Leonard Tucker
Barre -
Vt.

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4008
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Barre Vt. Oct 4th 1876 -

Rev Geo Whipple
56 Reade St N.Y.

Dear Sir.

At the suggestion of Rev L Tenney Pastor of our Congl church here - I write you. I wish to find a field for labor in the south. Work for the Master is what I wish to do. I seek a southern clime to benefit my health. A slight Bronchial trouble which I have, is aggravated by our Northern winters. Please write me, what you have for me to do. Anything, rather teaching.

teaching, or any kind
of missionary work.
Mention the locality.
I think I would like to
be in Florida, yet am
not disposed to choose.
Rev. C Smith of Montpelier
Vt, Sec of the Vt Home Mission-
ary Society will tell you
more about myself
if you wish.
Yours for the Master
Leonard Tucker,

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Brattleboro, Vt., Oct. 5 1876

Mr. W. E. Whiting

Enclosed I send you

Eighteen 55/100 Dollars $ 18.55

in payment of donation on Arlow

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson & Co.

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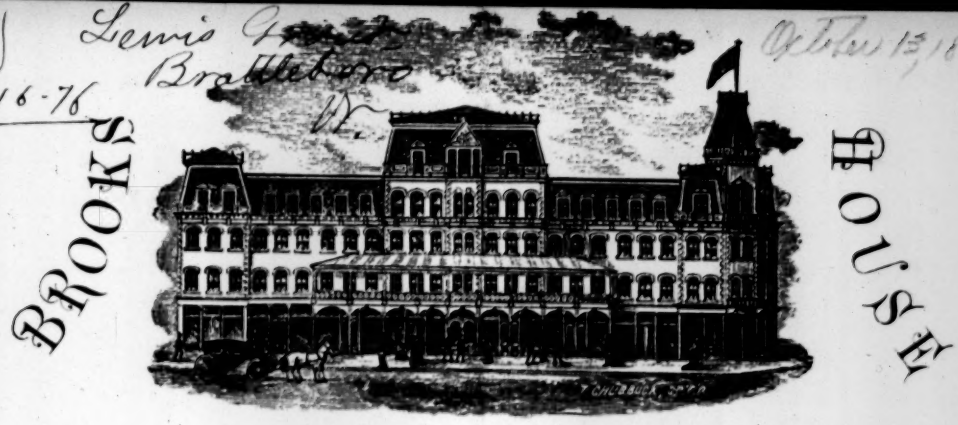
Lewis Grout
Brattleboro
Vt.

October 13, 1876



Brattleboro, Vt. Oct. 13, 1876

W. E. Whitg. Esq.
Asst Treas. &c

Dear Sir —

I have just shipped 2 Bbl. apples to Miss A. L. Grout, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga., care Am. Mis. Assn, N. Y. & paid freight to N. Y. They go via New London Boat to N. Y. & ought to reach N. Y. Sat. Mng — Please see that they are reshipped as directed & oblige yours truly

Lewis Grout

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4010
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 71-4011
FISK UNIV.

Mrs. E. L. Allen
Fair Haven Vt.

Oct 13/76

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$25 -

Fairhaven, Vermont
Oct. 13. 1876.

W. E. Whiting Esq.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed find a cheque for twenty-five ($28.50) dollars which accept as a donation from the Congregational S. S. of this place. We divide our weekly contributions between Foreign Missions & the Freedmen. Praying for success in both fields, and that the Lord will open the hearts of the people to give even more liberally for each. I am in behalf of the school,

Yours respectfully
Mrs. E. L. Allen

B.] Leonard P. Tucker
10-16-76 Barre - Vt.
1-18-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4012
FISK UNIV.

Barre Vt Oct. 16th 1876.

Rev M. E. Strieby.
N. Y.

Dear Sir.

I write you at the suggestion of Rev L. Tenney of this town. I wish to work for the Master, & want to get into a Southern climate, to preach the gospel, or do any kind of Missionary work, is the employment I want.

I am a young christian, about three months, since I found Christ precious to my soul. Though nearly 50 years of age

I am anxious to work in the active vineyard. This call was made to me over 20 years ago.

Please address Rev L. Jenney of this town, or Rev C. Smith Sec. of H. Home Missionary Soc'y at Montpelier Vt. for any information in regard to myself.

Do me the kindness to let me hear from you

Yours truly

Leonard C. Rucker,

P.S. State what you have for me to do & where, & such information as I need to have if I am to be in your employ.

L. C. R.

Emma Jordan
$8.25
Oct. 16/76
Mrs. L. M. Jordan
Earl Hardwick
Pd.
Oct. 15

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4013
FISK UNIV.

E. Hardwick Yonkers Oct 16 1876

Edward Ritchie Esq
Treas

Enclosed please find $8.25 contributed by a few friends in this place for the purpose of aiding to erect the Emerson Institute."

Very Respectfully Yours
Mrs. L. M. Jordan

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4014
FISK UNIV.

J. W. Hyde
Morristown
Oct. 17/76 45 Ot
$2.00 —
Entered E. M. H.
Ack

Oct, 17th, 1876.

Mr. W. M. Whiting.

Sir, I enclose to you a check for $2.00. The bequest of Mrs M. L. Spalding, late of Morristown Lamoille Co now deceased. It was her wish that it be applied to the charitable uses of the Association, under the Executive Committee her preference being that it be applied to the education of the Freedmen. Please send me a receipt in full and oblige,
(at your earliest convenience)
Jed W. Hyde. Morristown
Lamoille County Vermont,

L. C. Barrows
Middlebury 57 Oct. 23/16
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Middlebury Vt. Oct. 23 16

W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir
Enclosed I send you P. O. Order for Sixteen dollars for the American Missionary Association from the Middlebury Cong. Sabbath School

Yrs. Yours.
L. C. Barrows
(Supt.)

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4015
FISK UNIV.

N. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4016
FISK UNIV.

Mr. Safford
Cambridge Vt.
Sept 28 1876
Rec'd Oct 2
Ans
A 13

Cambridge Vt, Sept. 28, 1876

Wm. E. Whiting Esq.
Act. Treas. A. M. A.

Please find money order for $13.00 I have been delaying some days hoping to add some when I had some promises.—

Jesse Mudgett sends 3.00 & our good old friend Dr. Solomon Montague sends 10.00 but with the request, that his name, town or state should not be made public,

I would suggest that you acknowledge it at the close of the list as from a "live man & a true lover of our whole country" You can acknowledge it as you see fit on observe the request, for he undoubtedly has a reason for it.—

M. Safford

S. H. Dow

Enosburgh, Vermont Sept. 29 1874

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Edgar Ketchum Esqr. Treas A.M.A.

Enclosed find Twenty seven and 25/100 dollars ($27.25) balance of yearly collection of "The First Congregational in Enosburgh Vermont" for the "American Missionary Association."

Truly yours
S. H. Dow
per G. S. Lassett

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4017
FISK UNIV.

Charles Powers
Brandon Ok
Oct 31/76 92

Rec'd

Ack'd $5—

Brandon Oct 31 1876.

Mr W. E. Whiting Asst
Treasurer of the American
Missionary

I inclose $5.00 to help
on a good cause
hoping it may do some
little good I feel that
my heart is larger
than my purse
yours truly

Charles Powers

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4018
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4019
FISK UNIV.

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2.00

Mrs. C. M. Holbrook
West Fairlee. Vt
Nov. 1876

West Fairlee Vt Nov 8th 1876

Mr Whiting

I send you two dollars for the American Missionary Association which amount I have sent for three years past when our Supt ~~sent~~ sent the Sabbath-School col until last spring when I then thought our church would take before this time up a col for that Association, as we have a Pastor now, when I first sent it with the Sabbath School money we had no Pastor & the church could scarcely sustain itself but I believe they have taken up a col for A. M. Association & may perhaps do so this season but as I do not know when I think I will not wait longer. My husband paid five dollars a year the last of his life (it is six years since he died) & I hope to some time, his death made a great change with us

Yours Respectfully Mrs C. M. Holbrook

P. O. Address Post Mills Vt.

The Association have continued to send the American Missionary to me since her Healbrooks death for which I am very grateful & shall increase my contribution as I can but send it with the contribution of the church if they make one

R. S. Southgate 211
Nov 20/76 Woodstock, Vt. 55 39

WINDSOR COUNTY

Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

Woodstock, Vt., Nov. 20, 1876.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4020
FISK UNIV.

Am. Miss. Assoc.
New York City

Dear Sir,

I inclose chk for $55.39 from 1st Congl. Ch. & Soc. to constitute Mrs. Emily H. Lewis a L. M. of Am. Miss. Assoc.

Please send to her the magazine.

Yours resp.
R. S. Southgate,
Tr. Ch. & Soc.

R. D. Nichols 305
4th Dec 1856 1.00
Williamstown,
Vt.

Mr. Editor, Sir, Grade Nichols

Dear Sir Enclosed

find one dollar 75 cent from myself

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Please send free a Dec. No. of the

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Respectfully your

Sa Jonesville Mich

E. D. Nichols

Williamstown, Orange Co.,

Vermont.

Please acknowledge receipt this & capture loss if you do not send or mag. I shall expect a magazine

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4021
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J. B. RAND, President. EPHRAIM MORRIS, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Dec. 9 1876

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NO. HL-4022
FISK UNIV.

Hartford, Vt., Dec 9 1876

M. W. Hubbard - Asst Treas.

Dear Sir.

I enclose check for 47 30/100 amt contributed by Church & Society in this place for the purpose of the Am M. A. Ass^n

Please send me rec^t & oblige

Yours very truly

Ephraim Morris, Jr

2^d Cong^l Church Hartford Vt.

Chas. H. King
Lunenburg, Vt.
Dec. 18/76

374
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Rec'd
Ack'd

Lunenburg Vermont Dec. 18th 1876

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4023
FISK UNIV.

Mr Hubbard
Dear Sir.

Enclosed find Post-Office order of ten dollars for the American Missionary Society. It is money left by my father who died the 20th of August last. Your Society was ever near his heart, & although limited in means done what he could. Please to send me the American Missionary, & as the Lord prospers me you shall still be remembered. Included in P. O. Order is two dollars for me. Making it $12.00. Respectfully

Chas. H. King.

* Supposed by King
Willard ~~Lunbb~~ H. 149

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4024
FISK UNIV.

Rev P. S. Pratt
Dorset, Vt

378
20
1876

Dorset, Vt. Dec 14 1876

N W Hubbard Esq
Dear Sir

ack

For the enclosed Twenty Cents, will you, if practicable, send me the American Missionary Magazine for February, & June, 1876 — as these numbers are lacking from my complete file of the periodical — oblige

Yours Truly
P. S. Pratt

Rec'd.

Mrs. Isaac Nichols
Randolph
Dec. 21/76

414
5.00

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4025
FISK UNIV.

Ack

Randolph Dec. 21. 1876

Dear Sirs

Please find inclosed five dolls for the American Missionary Association,

Mrs. Isaac Nichols
Randolph
Vermont.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4026
FISK UNIV.

~~Miss Dorothy~~
Mrs. S. G. Bone
Manchester, Vt. 459
Dec 28/76 $2.50

Manchester Dec 27

Mr E. Whiting.

Enclosed find Twenty Orders $2.50, The $2.00 from "A friend" given to sustain schools for the freedmen, 50 cents for the "American Missionary" to be sent to the name given below and oblige

Mrs S. G. Bone,

Miss Dorothy Smith,
Manchester
Bennington Co
Vermont.

"E" Benson

W.E.D. Dec. 1876 Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4027
FISK UNIV.

142

$1—

Mr W E Whiting

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed one dollar for the Freedmen from E. Benson Vt

A. M. Amsden
Hardwick Vt.

585
20.00

Jany 2/77 –

Caledonia Co.

ack

P.O. Hardwick Vt Jan 2nd 1877

Mr. Hubbard

Dear Sir

Please find
Inclosed a P. Office Order for $20.
(Dollars) five from Mary B. Amsden
and the remainder from A. M. Amsden
to be disposed off at the discretion of
the Association, in your labor of love
and work of Mercy among the needy.
Respectfully yours

A. M. Amsden

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL 4028
FISK UNIV.

Harry Smith 571
Swanton 5.00
Vt. Jany 30/77

Swanton. Franklin Co. Jan 30. 1877

Mr H W Hubbard, Sir.

I send enclosed $5.00 to be applied for missionary purposes as you think best

Yours &c Harry Smith

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4029
FISK UNIV.

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro
Vt.
Jany 3 1877

566
$125-00
Oct 5

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 41-4030
FISK UNIV.

C. F. Thompson & Co.,

DEALERS IN

HARDWARE, IRON AND STEEL, LIME AND CEMENT,

FERTILIZERS, FLOUR AND GROCERIES.

C. F. THOMPSON. S. E. HOWARD.

Brattleboro, Vt., Jany 3 1877

Mr Rev. Geo. Whipple
Dear Sir

Enclosed I send you
One Hundred twenty five $\frac{4}{100}$ Dollars $125=
in payment of Am. Missionary
please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,
C. F. Thompson

C.F.

from Cong. Ch. Brattleboro	92.34	✓
" Congl. " Nat "	11.41	✓
" " " Windham	20 –	✓
" " D. O. "	1.25	✓
	$125.=	

588
1011
Thomas D. Hale
Pittsford, Vermont
Jany 4/77
A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4031
FISK UNIV.

Pittsford, Rutland Co. Vt. January 4 1877

Mr Edgar Ketchum Esq Treas A. M. A.

Dear Sir

through the kindness of someone unknown to me I have had the pleasure of reading the American Missionary during the year passed & have become so much interested in its pages that I wish to continue its acquaintance & here with hand you one dollar which I wish should pay for last year subscription (if it has not already been paid) & also to pay for this year & the balance to go into the fund, I have received the first No of the new issue & hope to receive it regularly

Yours &c

Thos D Hale
Pittsford
Rutland Co
Vt

636
25c

Miss Lucy Noyes
Castleton, Vt.

Rec'd.

Castleton, Vt.
Jan. 8. 7

A. M. A.

Send an copy of A. M. for 1877 to

Miss. Lucy Noyes
Castleton
Vt.
(Vermont)

for which I enclose $25 cts

Edw. T. Hooker

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-4032
Rec'd UNIV.

Rev E. T. Hooker 731
Castleton 75c
Jany 15/77 Vt.

Castleton. Vt.
Jan. 15: 77

Ed. Am. Missionary

Inclosed 75 cts for three copies for one year of the paper which need to be sent as follows:

Mr. B. W. Burt

Mrs. Mary Van Vliet

Mrs. L. Sprague

(all of) Castleton Vermont:

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4032
FISK UNIV.

Same truly your friend
Edw. T. Hooker.
Pastor Cong'l Ch.

Lyman Clark
Marshfield, Vt.
Oct. 2 1111

Ack'd

Marshfield Vermont Washington County Jan 16, 1871

Mr Whiting
Dear Sir

Enclosed

I send ten dollars for the American Missionary Society to be used as you see fit.

Yours &c Lyman Clark

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4033
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4034
FISK UNIV.

L. Grout

Fort Pratt Station, N.
Jany 18/77.

Rev. M. E. Strieby D.D.
Sec. a. m. a.

My Dear Sir —

I have just enclosed (in my Report to Rev. C. L. Woodworth for this month) the Sum of $160. in blank, thus, — —

Please indorse it in Judah Moore's note of $1000. in your possession as interest on the Same for last year (1876), & let it be acknowledged, as I have put it, in Blank, in the "am. Min.", as Mr. Moore is very particular not to have his name appear.

Yours fraternally
Lewis Grout
agent a. m. a.

over

Paid this 3 to 11 Sept 76 See book

N. Brattleboro, Vt.
Jany 18/77.

Dear Mr. Woodworth:

As I am to be away a few days (now in the East part of N.H.) I mail with my report & auth. the claim money order which I find in the name of the Treas. E. M. My bor. exps include some changes of the last month or two. You ought to have several good terms diplomas from Manchester N.H. & other places.

I have been sending out the printed circular with Mss. letters as fast as I could write them.

Fraternally yours
Lewis Grant
agent a. m. a.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4035
FISK UNIV.

am with love yours sincerely

R. N. T. Smith

A. M. A. ARCHIVE
NO. HI-4036
FISK UNIV.

Burlington Vt. Jan 19. '77

My dear Miss Wells,

I am afraid that you have left the South, but I hope that this letter will be forwarded wherever you are — I have been writing to various persons whom I think can give help, with regard to a student just graduating from our College. The young man, Geo. W. Henderson, by name, is about 25 yrs old. was employed as servant to one of our officers, the last year of the

was (ran away from his
master, near Harper's Ferry, in
order to obtain his freedom). He
followed the officer home, & re-
mained in his family, till of
age - working upon the farm
summers & attending school
winters. He became so fond of
his books that he determined
to get a college education. He
has accomplished his desire, &
now graduates, leading his
class. has done this every
year! He hopes ultimately to
preach, but at present must
teach. He is anxious to spend
his life for his race. He bids
fair to accomplish much for the
Master. He has been offered a

position in an Academy in this State, but prefers to go South if he can get work there. If you can suggest any place for him, or speak to any one who can, you will confer a great favor. He would prefer teaching the Languages, but of course, would do what seemed best. He can be addressed to this town for the present, or you can write to Post Office Box 538. I should like to know how you are, & if you have had as much to encourage you as last year. It seems to me that there is a more wide spread interest in the Freedman than formerly. Hoping that you will be rested & refreshed this summer months & be comforted by the good you have accomplished. I

780
$1.00

Mrs. J. N. Pierce
Clarendon
Jany 19 1877 —

Ack. Bt.

Rec'd.

Clarendon, Rutland Co., Vt. Jan. 19. 1877.

Mr. H. W. Hubbard — Dear Sir: —

Enclosed Please find $1.00. for your valuable American Missionary, for two years. Please send it to the address of J. N. Pierce, as heretofore. I will send enclosed an envelope in which you will please send me a receipt.

Yours Truly
Mrs. J. N. Pierce.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4032
FISK UNIV.

Chas. B. Swift

CHAS. B. SWIFT,
Manufacturer of
FURS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
148 Main Street

795
64 15/100

St. Albans,
Vt.

Jany 23/77

St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 23 1877

Rec'd.

Actg

Mr H. W. Stubblard, Apt. Freed.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed find draft for 64.15 the semi-annual contribution to the Am. Miss. Ass. from the 1st Congl. Church & So. of St Albans Vt

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4038
FISK UNIV.

816

W. C. Guernsey
Castleton Vt
Jany 24/77 —

1.00/100

Castleton Vt Jany 24/77

Rev M E Strieby

Enclosed find one dollar for the American Missionary to the following names for 1877 at this place

H Parker
M B. Drewey
L W Preston
W. C. Guernsey

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4039
FISK UNIV.

W. C. Guernsey

883
2.00
Miss Julia Graves
Jericho Center Vt
Jan 29 1877

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4040
FISK UNIV.

Jericho Centre Jan. 29, 1877

Mr. Whiting

Sir, Please find two dollars (100) enclosed, a small donation for the benefit of the Freedmen,

Yours Resp'y

Miss Julia Graves

80.
Henry Sherman 887
Pittsford, Vt. 80.00

Pittsford Vt. Jan 30 1877

Jany 30/77 —

Dear Sir:

I send you a draft for 80. for the benefit of the American Missionary Association also the names of R S Meach and G A Eaton for life Members

per Order of Committee of the Pittsford Congregational society

Please Inform me on the Receipt of this

Henry Sherman Treas

please endorse the same as written on the draft

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4041
FISK UNIV.

870
50c

D Coolidge
Ludlow, Vt.
Jany 30/77

Ludlow Vermont
Jan 30th 1877.

Gentlemen

Will you please stop sending the Missionary to the address of

Rev P Boles
Ludlow, Vt

Mr Boles was a life member now deceased — I have ordered it stopped once or twice before without effect — I find 50c for what I have had it — and feel in duty bound to pay —

Respectfully
D Coolidge

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-404.2
FISK UNIV.

934

25c

Lorinda Cheney
Morrisville, Pa.
Jany 31/77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4043
FISK UNIV.

Morrisville Pa Jan 31st 1877

Mr Hurlbut

Dear Sir Please find enclosed twenty five cents to pay for the American Missionary for the year 1877 for Dea Christopher French. Please send him a receipt

Yours Respectfully
Lorinda Cheney

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4044
FIELD UNIV.

928
25c

Rev. S. P. Wilder
Brandon, Vt
Jany 31/77

Brandon Vermont
Jan. 31. 1877

Mr. H. W. Hubbard.

Dear Sir I enclose twenty five cents for the American Missionary this year beginning with the Jan. number. If you have any pamphlet or anything of the kind setting forth the nature and needs of the west, and general sketches, anything that would aid me in bringing the cause you represent before my people for their sympathies and contributions, I should be glad to have you send them to me.

Very truly yours.
S. P. Wilder
Pastor Cong. Ch.

C.

1-2-76
1-8-76

Henry W. Jones -
St. Johnsbury
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4045
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury, Vt. Jan. 1/77

Rev. M. E. Strieby.

Dear Bro.

In the last (the Jan.) number of the Am. Missionary, under the title "Talladega College", a call is issued for books of reference, especially Cyclopedias and Dictionaries. If that call is not so answered as to render the investment at that point unprofitable — I will give a new copy of Zell's New Ency-clopedia, in 4 vols., to that college, as soon as I am informed how to address and forward them.

I write to you because I cannot make out definitely the address of a responsible person on the ground.

Very fraternally yours,
Henry W. Jones,
Pastor of North Bough'l Church.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. _____
FISK UNIV.

Dr. J. N. Moore
Chester, Vt.

932

Dr. J. N. MOORE,

Druggist and Apothecary

Feb. 1/77

And Dealer in Pure Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Pure Confectionery,
Books and Stationery, Yankee Notions, Etc., Etc.

Chester, Vt., Feby 7th 1877

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4046

Edgar Ketchum Esq

Dear Sir please find Enclosed Money Order for 30,00 for Am. Miss Association which you will apply as you think will best assist in carrying on the great and noble work of the Association. For this please send a Certificate of Life Membership to Mrs. Julia A Kittredge Manchester N.H. and also the paper as usual Please acknowledge from "A Friend" And you will much oblige

Very Truly Yours
J N Moore

L. Hutchins 963
25-00 Pts
Waterbury ~~[illegible]~~

A. A. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4042
FISKTOWN

Feb. 2/77 Waterbury Feb 2/77

W E Whiting Esq Assist Treas

Enclosed I hand you Check on Nat Bank of Redemption Boston for the purposes of your application for $25 00

Yrs Respectfully

L Hutchins

V.J.

990
25c

L. D. Coy
Manchester, Vt

Feb. 6/77

Manchesester Vt
Feb 6, 1877

Rec'd.
H. W. Hubbard Esq
Dear Sir

I enclose twenty five cents (25) for the American Missionary for the ensuing year

Very Respectfully
L. D. Coy

NAMBA AR
NO. HH-4048
FISK UNIV.

L. D. COY
Books & Stationery
MANCHESTER, VT.

1013
4300

C. M. Bailey
East Hardwick, Vt

Feb. 6/77.

To Hardwick Feb 6 1877

Rec'd

Am. Mis. Association

Herewith please find check for $43.00 from East Hardwick Cong'l School for the year 1876

C M Bailey
Superintendent

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4049
FISK UNIV.

"A Friend" 997
Chittenden Co 20.00
DL

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4050
FISK UNIV.

Feb 6. 1877.

Mr Edgar Ketchum
56 Reade St.
N. Y. City.

Dear Sir,

Feeling that it is a necessity to educate the Freedmen and wishing to contribute for that purpose, I enclose a draft for $20,00 twenty dollars for

I notice in the Feb. No of the American Missionary that the moneys contributed are payable to H. W. Hubbard, but as my order is made out, suppose that you will forward it to him.

Please credit it to
A friend, Chittenden County
Vermont.

Rev. Henry W. Jones.
St Johnsbury
Vt.

2-12-77

2-12-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4051
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Feb. 9th, 1877.

Dear Sir.

I wrote "Rev. E. P. Ford, Talladega College, Talladega, Ala." that I had a Zell's Encyclopedia for the college library if he would tell me how to send it, by freight, or express, and how marked, but tho'

some weeks have passed since, I hear nothing from him. Can you give me instructions, and is it safe to send before hearing from him?

I desire to pay the charges on the package so that it will cost them nothing.

Very gratly yours,

Henry W. Jones.

Pastor M. Bough ch.

Rev. M. E. Strieby.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

Plainfield, Vt. Feb 12 77

1061

25c

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-405
FISK UNIV.

Mrs C. Shepard Plainfield Vt
Feb. 12/77 If you choose to do so for so small a sum, please direct the American Missionary to Catharine Shepard.

Plainfield.
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

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1080
42c Levi H Coffin
Ludlow, Vt.
Feb. 15/77

Ludlow Vt.
Feb. 15/77

Dear Sir
Enclosed find
$0.42 in P.O. Stamps
for the A.M.A. Association
I wish that I could
send more, please
send me the last
Annual Report
of Meeting
(1874) at Fitchburg Mass
as I wish to keep
that with those that
I have since 1852

Truly Yours
Levi H. Coffin
Ludlow
Windsor Co
Vermont

Sent report

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4053
RICE UNIV.

1132 Rev W. A. Bushee
20 50 Brookfield
Feb. 20/77 — Ack

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4059
FISK UNIV.

Brookfield, Vermont
Feb. 20 1877

M. E. Whiting.

Dear Sir

Inclosed please find twenty dollars and fifty cents the annual collection taken up last month by the Second Congr. church and society of Brookfield.

Yours truly
W. A. Bushee

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4055
FISK UNIV.

Rev. M. E. Strieby,
36 Reade St.
New York,
N. Y.

1212

I was absent from home when your favor of 12th inst. arrived and by an oversight it was not delivered me till today. the encyclopedias for Talladega go, to your office, tomorrow morning, by express.

Henry W. Jones.

St. Johnsbury, Vt,
Feb. 23-1877.

A192 P. W. Ladd
5.00 Newbury Vt.

Rec'd

Newbury Vermont
Feb 27 77

Edgar Putnam Treasurer
Sir
Please find Enclosed P. O. order for five dollars. for one of the young men mentioned in a recent letter from G. S. Pope of Alabama. "the one who is to go into the Theological Class"

Respectfully yours
P. W. Ladd

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-Y056
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4057
FISK UNIV.

1229 Mrs Lucy Spaulding
10 cc Jericho
Vt

Ack'd

Jericho March 1st 1877

Edgar Ketchum Esqr

Dear Sir

Enclosed find draft on New York for ten dollars ($10 00) which I contribute to the American Missionary Association

Respectfully Yours

Lucy Spaulding

1360 Mrs M. B. Burnap
10.00 Townshend
March 2nd 1877 Vermont

Mrs H. W. Hubbard Ack'd

Sir

Enclosed please find ten dollars for the American Missionary Society for the education of the coloured people. From

Mrs M. B. Burnap
Townshend
March 2d 1877 Vermont

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4058
FISK UNIV.

1261 Mrs. Ammi Follett.
2.50 Sharon Vt
March 5/77 —

R.A.A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4059
FISK UNIV.

Sharon, Windsor Co., Vermont.
March 5th, 1877.

H. W. Hubbard,
Sir.-
Enclosed find two dollars from Sarah P Follett, and fifty cents from
Mrs Ammi Follett.
For the freedman.
Truly yours.

1286

Parks & Woolson Machine Co.,

A. WOOLSON, President.

MANUFACTURERS OF

BEST

Cloth Finishing Machinery.

Springfield, Vt., Mar 8th 1877

Acct.

Frederick Parks

Springfield Vt

Recd 8/77

H W Hubbard Assistant Treas

Am. Missionary association

Dear Sir

Herewith please find check for two hundred dollars for the general purposes of the A.M.A. and oblige

Yours truly

Frederick Parks

Pres A.M.A.

Please Acknowledge receipt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4060
FISK UNIV.

762
Ac 15

W. Brattleboro. Vt.
March 12. 1877.

H. W. Hubbard Esq.
Asst Treas. &c.

Dear Sir —

In treating party last January I received $160. from Judah More as interest for last year on A note of $1000. in your hands, & sent it to Sam via: Both by your transfer & wrote to have it endorsed on A note as above. Hope A endorsement has been made but have not heard.

Yours truly.

Lewis Stout
agent A. M. A.

Jan 31st 77. Ans. 26

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4061

Rev. Lewis Grout
West Brattleborough
Vt
March 12, 1877.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-406
FISK UNIV.

Weston Vt. March 12th 1877.

Mr. R. S. Hubbard, Assistant Treasurer of the A. M. A.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find P. O. Money Order for $4.25. to pay for one copy of the American Missionary for one year from the first day of January 1877. and to pay any arrearages due from me for the American Missionary heretofore sent to me, and if there should be a balance left, please appropriate it to the general uses of the American Missionary Association.

Please stop sending the paper at the close of the year - and please send me a receipt - stamp enclosed.

Mrs. R. S. Clayton

1303
4.25
Mrs. R. S. Clayton
Weston, Vt.
March 12 '77
Rec'd

A. W. Kenney
Royalton, Vt.
March 13/77

1305
50 00/100

Rec'd
Ack'd

Royalton, Vt. 3/13. '77.
N. H. Hubbard Esq. A. Dr. A. M. A.
Dear Sir: I enclose mych. $50.
to be forwarded to the Prest. or
Treasurer of Atlanta, Ga. University
to be applied towards the
expenses of James S. Harper a
pupil therein.

Respectly yours,
A. W. Kenney.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4063
FISK UNIV.

1381 "A Friend"
$5 00/100 North Cambridge
March 15/77 Vt.

North Cambridge Vt.
March 15th 1877

H. W. Hubbard

Sir

Please find inclosed $5. for the American Missionary Association and oblige.

From a friend

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4069
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-406
FISK UNIV.

1356 Madison Safford
10 00 Cambridge
Ob. for Debt 10 00
March 20/77

Cambridge O. March. 20. 1877

H. W. Hubbard Esq.
Sec. Freas A. M. Association

Please find enclosed a money order for $20.00 & as this is my first business with you, a little explanation relative to this remittance may be in order. Ten dollars of it is from an old & true friend 92 years old. Long ago he made ample provision for his maintenance during life, since then or three or four years ago Government pays him a pension & he wishes to give the most of it to the A. M. Association but as he has some poor relations, I expect they object; & this is why he withholds his name, & wishes it acknowledged so he will not be known. A few years since I sent $1284.00 to the A. M. A. on conditions fully met thus far, & now I send 10.00 for to help pay off that heavy debt. — Were the society out of debt I should not feel that I could do this. — My best wishes go for the prosperity of the Association. Respectfully yours.

Madison Safford

P.S. A few years ago I made Loring Chappel of Donamora N. York a Life member. — Subsequently he removed to Morrisonville N.Y. but is now living at no. 823 H. st. N. E. Washington, D.C. — If you have been sending the paper to him at either of those places in N.Y. please change the direction to Washington as above. — M. S.

1893
800 00

F.A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4066
FISK UNIV.

Samuel Fletcher
Thetford, Vt. March 31 1877

Thetford March 31 1877

Hon.
Ack

Dear Sir

Please find herewith Enclosed Check Eight Hundred dollars part of the legacy of Eunice White to Am. M. A.S.A.

When the litigation now commenced terminates I trust there may be some thing more due the A.S.A.

Yours Most truly
Saml Fletcher Exr

To
H. W. Hubbard Esqr
New York

1428 Mrs. Mary C Torrey
$5.00 Burlington
100 Vt.
Apl. 3/77

Hd. Rely

Burlington Vt. Apr. 3rd 1877

H. W. Hubbard Esq.

Please find inclosed a check for $5.00. which I wish to contribute to the American Missionary Association. Please acknowledge.

respectfully your

Mary C. Torrey.

Please set it down in your published acknowledgement as from "a friend"

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4067
FISK UNIV.

1436 John P. Southworth
23.00 West Fairlee
Vt.
April 3/77

West Fairlee Vt. April 3rd 1877

N. E. Whiting

Sir.

Please find enclosed the amount of $ 23.00 (twenty three dollars) contributed by the Cong. Church. Society and Sab. School of West Fairlee Vermont for the benefit of the Freedmen.

Respectively yours.

John P. Southworth

P. O. address

Post Mills

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Brattleboro, Vt., Apr. 4 1877

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Eleven 38/100 Dollars $ 11.38

in payment of Dom. Ch. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

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Brattleboro Vt
April 4/77
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Benson, Ct 1479

$1.25

April 10/77

Rev. H. R. Hubbard Esq.

Please find enclosed one dollar 25ct for the Freedmen. Benson Ct

April 10th 1877

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Madison Safford
Cambridge Vt
April 12 1881

Cambridge Vt. April 12.

H. W. Hubbard Esq
Ast, treas A. M. A

Yours of the 6th inst, containing a check was rec'd on the 9th. — I am sorry I wrote so carelessly as to be misunderstood. I did not mean to withhold the interest of the $1284.00 but if the Association was not in debt, I hardly felt as though I could add the $10.00 I sent you. — I return you the check expecting to see it acknowledged in due time. Perhaps before you receive this, you will receive $10.00 from J. C. Granger of N. Y. or Brooklyn as from John Kinsley of N. Cambridge Vt. — When you receive it you may send me a postal card. —

Respectfully yours

Madison Saffore

1493
25¢ Jervis Barber

Rec'd.

East Poultney Vt.

Apl. 13-77

Rev. A. W. Hubbard

Dear Sir

Please send 25 cts. it being to pay my subscription for the Missionary for one year

Yours Truly

Jervis Barber

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4022
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M. Safford
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Cambridge Vt. April 20. 1877

H. Hubbard

I return the check endorsed as directed. Hereafter it will only be necessary to send a receipt semiannually & acknowledge it in the Missionary paper as it has been done heretofore.

M. Safford

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4073
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4074
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O. F. Buxton
West Westminster, Vt.
April 21/77

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W. Westminster, V.C.
Apr. 21st 1877

H. W. Hubbard Esq.
Dear Sir—

I send you $8.20 as a donation from our S. School to the A. M. A. It has been obtained by monthly penny collections.

Please acknowledge receipt of the same by postal card or otherwise.

Yours truly
O. F. Buxton
Supt. Cong S. School

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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C. F. THOMPSON. S. E. HOWARD.

Brattleboro, Vt., May 1 1877

Mr

Enclosed we send you

Twenty 58/100 Dollars $ 20.58

in payment of Am subscr

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

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M. C. Pearson

W. E. D. Acks

Coventry Vermont.
May 4th 1877.

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Dear Sir

Please find enclosed five dollars for the benefit of the Freedmen of the South,

Yours truly

M C Pearson.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4076
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4022
TUFTS UNIV.

Benson, Vt. May 8/77.

Dear Mr. Woodworth -

Your favor of the 4th finds me here, ready for a month's work in this state. I have been out now 12 days & delivered 12 addresses in behalf of the work of the A. M. A. in 12 different parishes. Have had a good hearing every time, & as large audiences as could be expected at this busy season among farmers & housekeepers, & in a region where some of the churches have hardly more than a name to live. In the larger towns as at Rutland, Castleton, Manchester, & Dorset, I have had large audiences, & have found the parties ready to endorse my remarks & positions, instead of the saying out-sort that this cause is now paramount to each & every other for missionary christians. I enclose a

slip from the "Rutland Herald" of the 7th (last Monday morning) I see there is also a notice of my town address in the "N. Chronicle" of last week. I am to be at Cornwall (with Mr. Magill) next Sabbath morning, & at Middlebury next Sabbath evening (i.e. if everything goes as planned) & the Am. Home Mis. Soc., Messrs. Warren, Cobb & Smith are to be there (at Middlebury) the day following (Monday), so I have modified my plan for that day (Monday) so as to hear what they have to say about the work. My health & strength are holding out, so far, & so I am encouraged to hope they may continue to stand by the chapter of accidents.

Yours truly
Lewis Smith.

A. M. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4028
FISK UNIV.

Rutland Herald May 7/22

made to yield some certain data in fixing the distance of the sun.

—Rev. Lewis Grout of West Brattleboro delivered a very interesting discourse at the Congregational Church last evening on the work of the American Missionary Association, a society which is devoted to teaching and evangelizing the colored people in the south. He presented facts and statistics which show that a great amount of good has been done by this society since the war, and that there is a vast deal more to do for the colored people who have been emancipated and enfranchised, but are still ignorant, and therefore exposed to peril and also a source of peril to the government. If they are not educated by the Protestants the Roman Catholics will do this work for them and gather them into the Catholic church, and so increase the political power of that church in this country. This is a subject which concerns the patriot and philanthropist as well as the Christian. Mr. Grout is now making a tour through the State and presenting this subject to the different churches which support the society. He preached in Pittsford Sunday morning.

Law Office in Pittsford.

Charles S. Colburn, Esq., of Pittsford, who was recently elected town clerk and treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Kellogg, will open a law office in Pittsford village. After graduating from Middlebury College in the class of 1858, Mr. Colburn

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Cornwall, Vt.
Cornwall, Vt. May 9/77

Rev. M. E. Strieby
Sec. A. M. A. &c.

A. M. A. ARC
NO. H1-4079
FISK UNIV.

Dear Brother —

Mrs. L. E. W. Atwater, of West Haven, Conn., for many years Principal (& Proprietor) of Oak Hill Ladies' Semy, is seeking a situation as teacher in some of our higher institutions among the freedmen. She is an accomplished, efficient Christian lady. I have been well acquainted with her for many years, & think she would do well as a teacher of advanced classes of slaves in any of our best schools at the South. She has given up her school in West Haven, but does not care to be idle when there is so much to be done, even tho' the compensation should not be large. — Yours truly,

Lewis Grant, Deputy &c
West Brattleboro, Vt.

1649

J. W. Norton
May 10th 1877.

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Winooski Falls Vt. May 10th 1877

Mr. W. E. Whiting, Asst. Treas.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed

Dft #3.61 – amount contributed in April by the Cong. Church in this place for the benefit of the Am. Mis. Association

Please send receipt

Respy Yours

J. W. Norton, Treas.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4080
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4081
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1731
20 00 James D Duncan
Shelburn
May 28th 1877. Vt.

Shelburn Vt. May 28th 77

Mr. H. W. Hubbard
Asst. Treas A. M. A. 56 Read St
New York

Dear Sir

I enclose my check for Twenty Dollars which please appropriate to the work of the American Miss Association. Will this also apply towards a life membership that I may name when I send balance of the amt.

Yours Respectfully

Jas. D. Duncan
Shelburn
Chittenden Co
Vt.

1728 G. G. Benedict
20.00 Burlington
May 28th 1877 Ct.

Rec'd
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Burlington Vt May 28 1877

W. E. Whiting
Treas Am. Miss Asso

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4082
FISK UNIV.

Dr Sir

Enclosed find draft ~~P.O. order~~ for $20.00 in Contribution of the Third Cong Church of this place to the Am. Miss. Asso

Very truly
G. G. Benedict
Treas 3d Ch

59. Reade St. N.Y.

Dr. E. C. Worcester
Shelford, Vt.
5-20-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4083
FISK UNIV.

Thetford May 30-1877-

Rev. M. E. Strieby

Dear Sir.

Yours of the 25th is received. I have no personal knowledge of the matter about which you enquire, but I have been told by those who saw Mrs. Barney's will that she left $5000 to each of the three following societies A.B.C.F.M. Am. Missionary association and Am. Home missionary society. Since I received your letter I have seen two gentlemen who saw the will and both of them are quite sure there was a legacy of $5000 to the Am. Miss. Association.

Why it has not been paid I cannot tell. The legacies of £5,000 each to the church and to city in this place were paid two or three months ago. But we became convinced before we got over many that it was necessary to look after matters fully & fully. They told us at first that there was not means enough to pay the specific legacies, and that we should have to take a percentage. They could not tell how long it would take unless we would take railroad bonds which we were not willing (as to the cash value) at par.

But when they found we had a man to look after affairs they understood that he was about. They paid the legacies in full in cash.

The executrices of the will are the two surviving sisters of Mrs. B. One of them Mrs. Gurley, is here in New York. But the business is all done by their lawyer, John. C. Connor, Grand building. Broadway N.Y. (I do not know the number), who can give you all the information you need, and probably will do so when he finds the money.

Yours very truly

E. C. Wormeller

A. M. A. ARCHIVE
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S. H. Bascom
Orwell Vt
May 31. 1877

Ans

Orwell Vt. May 31st/77

Edgar Ketchum Esq
New York

Find enclosed
Draft for $19.00 Collection of
Co. C's &c in this place, in
aid of A. M. Association

Yours &c S. H. Bascom

A. M. A. Collection
NO. HI-4084
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4085
FISK UNIV.

Cuttingsville, Vermont
June 1-78

Mr. Whiting -

Dear Sir:

I rec'd your letter nearly a year ago - was in no need of the money, or should have replied ere this. I have rec'd no money since Dec - 1862 - that I remember of. In looking over my letters after receiving your last, I find one that agrees with your statement and I think the last I had ever rec'd. Most of the time since then (Dec 1862) I have been sick, and have paid but little attention to anything. I will enclose the last two letters from you -

You can retain the money

Eliza A. Huntoon

June 77

a while longer if you like as I am in no need of it at present - but I wished to know exactly how we stood -

Very respectfully

Eliza A. Huntoon.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. _____
FISK UNIV.

1786
20 00

Cambridge O. June 2, 1877

H. W. Hubbard Agt. Treas.
A. M. Association

Dear Sir encloses a Money order of $20,00 from

Mrs. Hezekiah Howe	10,00	$10,00
" Mary Waterhouse	5,00	5,00
A "friend" in Morrisville O.	5,00	5,00
		$20,00

I wish thousands could know the circumstances of these donors — all aged & unable to labor — frequently great sufferers from bodily infirmities & poor in this worlds goods — but they do love this blessed cause. —

Yours &c

Madison Safford

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
No. HI-4086
FISK UNIV.

1786
$20,00
Madison Safford
Cambridge
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Rec'd

1791 D. J. Flagg
5 00/100 Hubbardton
June 4th 1877 Vt

June 4. 1877.

Mr. H. W. Hubbard.
56 Reade, St. N.Y.

Dear Sir: Mrs. Jas. Flagg, Hubbardton Vt. receives the American Missionary gratis. Enclosed please find Two dollars ($2.) from her a part of which is for Postage and the remainder a gift to the Association

Truly Yours
D. J. Flagg
Hubbardton
Vermont.

A.M.A. COLLECTION
NO. HI-4082
FISK UNIV.

1790 Mrs. W. D. Marsh
5.00 North Clarendon,
Vt. June 6th 1877

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No Clarendon, Vt. June 6th 77

H. W. Hubbard, Esq.

Dear Sir.

Please find enclosed a ~~20~~ for $5.00 Use it for the benefit of our poor Freed People. It is a gift from my husband W. D. Marsh.

No Clarendon, Vt.

Please acknowledge in your paper

Mrs W. D. Marsh.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4088
FISK UNIV.

W. Brattleboro, Vt.
June 21, 1877

Rev. M. E. Strieby, D.D.
Sec. A. M. A. &c.

Dear Brother –

Judah Moore of Wilmington died June 8 (in my absence from home) & his will is to be probated in Brattleboro Vt last Saturday of June, according to notice sent from a Brattleboro paper of June 15 & enclosed. As you held a note of $1000. from him I suppose the A. M. A. will need to take some action about it. We in Vt must turn to labor.

Yours truly,
Lewis Source
agent A. M. A.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4089
FISK UNIV.

Rev Lewis Prout
West Brattleborough
Vt.
June 21/77

1877
10.00

J. & M. S. Piper
Chester,
Vt. June 27. 1877

Mr Hubbard

Dear Sir

Please use the small Order enclosed within for the "American Missionary Association" from J. & M. S. Piper, (five dollars each) of

Chester
Windsor Co Vermont

June 27th 1877

Yours Respectfully
M. S. P.

ARCHIVES
HI-4090
UNIV.

Rev Lewis Grout Ans. July 7th 77.

N. Brattleboro, Vt.

July 3/77

July 3d, 1877.

H. N. Hubbard Esq.
Asst Treas. &c.

Dear Sir —

Judah Morris Will was affirmed last Saturday. The sum of this is follows —

To pay all just debts &c.

That a note of $1000 with interest due be paid to A. M. A. if there shall be anything left after paying debts &c. or so much of the note as may be covered by the residue from debts &c.

That any residue from the above be held in trust by the Executor for the support of Geo. W. Redfield of Claremont N. H. if he may have need of the same in addition to what he has now in hand, so long as he shall live.

That any residue from the above (after the decease of G. W. R.) shall be given to

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4091
FISK UNIV.

the a. m. a. for charitable purposes —

C. E. Butterfield, Esq. of Wilmington is Executor of the will —

E. T. Butterfield & N. M. Haskell, of Paisley & commissioners —

The payment of the rent will be made without unnecessary delay.

The above is the substance of the will — I shall hope to learn as soon as practicable what may be the condition & value of the estate — hope there may be at least enough to pay the rents —

Yours truly

Lewis Grant

agent a. m. a.

1930 O. D. Edgerton
50c Northfield
July 3. 1877 — Vt.

✓ N.D.

Northfield Vt. 3 July 1877

Am Mis Ass'n

Gents

Enclosed find fifty cents to pay on my subscription for the Am Missionary

Yours &c
O. D. Edgerton
Northfield
Washb'n Co
Vermont

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4092
FISK UNIV.

1953 A. Osgood
11.20 Essex, Vt.
July 4. 1877

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Essex Vermont
July 4 1877

Sir
Inclosed find
$11.20 for your
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by receipt
A Osgood

To H W Hubbard
Ass't Treas A M S

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Brattleboro, Vt., July 19 1877

Mr H. W. Hubbard Dr. to

Enclosed we send you

Eleven 34/100 Dollars $ 11.34

in payment of con. from Dry. Ch. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson Co. Per

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C. F. Thompson
West Brattleboro
July 19th 1877
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CHAS. B. SWIFT,
Manufacturer of
FURS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
148 Main Street

2046 Chas. B. Swift
57 55/100 St. Albans
July 23. 1877. — Vt.

Note ack'd

St. Albans, Vt., July 23 1877

Mr W. E. Whiting
Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find draft for 57.55 the semi-annual contribution of the 1st Cong. Church & So. of St Albans Vt to the Am. Mis. Association.

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4095
FISK UNIV.

2082 Rev W. A. Bushee
20.00 Brookfield
Vt
July 30/77

Rec'd
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Brookfield, Vermont.
July 30 1877

Hon H. Hubbard Esq.

Dear Sir,

Inclosed please find twenty dollars. The contribution of the 2nd Cong. church and society of Brookfield. Vt.

Yours truly
W. A. Bushee

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-4096
FISK UNIV.

Rev. Silas McKeen 2081
Bradford Vt. 10 00/100

Bradford, Vt. Aug 1. 1877.

Aug 1st 1877

H. W. Hubbard, Esq. Asst.
Sec. American Miss. Association, 56 Reade St. N.Y.

Dear Sir, I here send you my accustomed yearly contribution to our A. M. Association; for which you will please return me your receipt. May the divine blessing rest abundantly on this praiseworthy necessary and good undertaking.

Direct
Rev. Silas McKeen,
Bradford,
Vermont.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4092
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-4098
FISK UNIV.

2116 Mrs. S. S. Hook
5 50 / 108 Cabot Vt.

Cabot. August 2nd AD 1857

Dear Friend, Mr Hubbard

Please find enclosed five dollars, which I wish to have spent for the education of the freed people. Ever since my first ~~my first~~ rememberance of hearing of their captivity I have felt an interest for them. I am now sixty seven years of age yet I rember some verses I learned when young, commencing thus "Forced from home and all its pleasures; Afric's coast I left forlorn, To increase a strangers treasures ~~xxx~~, O'er the rageing billows borne. Men from england bought and sold me paid my price in pattry gold, But though slave they have enrolled me, minds are never to be sold. I ~~and glad~~ I ~~have lived~~ still in thought as free as ever, What are englands rights I ask? Me from my delights to sever, Me to torture me to task, Fleecy locks and black complexion

Cannot forfit natures claim Skins
may differ But affection Dwells in
White and black the same.
I rejoice that I have lived to see the
day when their freedom has been secured,
and that I can read their expressions
of thought, and of the wonderful things
they are doing. Yea of their singing Camp
-aigne, and their tales of teaching in
log schoolhouses &c, &c; I felt grieved
at the loss the American Missionary Association
sustained in the death of Brother Whipple
I think he was a devoted and ardent laborer
in the cause of freedom. Sometimes I receive
communications from his pen which I prize.
I feel pleased with the choice the Associa
-tion made in Rev M E Strieby to fill his
place. Mrs S. S. Hook. Cabot.
Washington Co.
Vermont.

This scrool is at
your disposal.

Please send fifty copies to pay for
The American Missionary for
for the first and for the continuance.
I prefer it and read it and send it to
my Neighbors if I get

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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D. D. WEAD. Sheldon Vt.

General Merchandise.

Sheldon, Vt., Aug 6 1877

Edgar Kilbourn Esq
Treas

Please find enclosed check Eleven & 11/100 dollars being amt of col from Cong ch & so this plan for am miss ass

Yours truly
DD Wead

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4100
FISK UNIV.

2122 Saml Fletcher
52 00/100 Thetford
Aug. 7. 1877. Vt.

Thetford Aug. 7 1877

Rev M. E. Strieby

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed Check 52 00 balance due the association from Eunice Wiles Estate. By virtue of a judgment against Pike and an execution. we have received the full amt due on his note and only regret the expense incurred in obtaining it. in Atty fees and cost. something over 150 00

Most truly &c
Saml Fletcher

To
Rev M. E. Strieby &c

2130 Rec. R. D. Miller

Hartland Aug. 8. 1877

Edgar Hatchins Esq. Hartland Vt

Dear Sir;

Please find inclosed Post Office Order - fourteen dollars, from the Cong. Ch & Soc., Hartland Vt, for the Freedmen's Course - American Miss. Asso. -

Fraternally &c

R. D. Miller
Acting Pastor &c -

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4101
FISK UNIV.

E. H. Mitchell
Fayetteville
Vt.

8-11-77
8-11-77

A. N. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4102
FISK UNIV.

Fayetteville Vt. Aug 8th 77
My dear Miss Emerson
I've just rec'd a letter from Mr Langstaff. though written July 23rd telling me a little item which surprised me some what, & wondered if you had heard of it.
It is this. The Officers of the church had a meeting the night before, to see about dismissing Mr Markham and calling Mr Smith to be their pastor. he said the majority of officers was for keeping Mr. M. but it was to be brought before the church."

and I do not know what was done there. I know a few – Mr Smith, Mr Moore and a few others did not like Mr M. they thought he did not give them as much power as they ~~desired~~ deserved or some other as foolish notion, but I think most of the people liked him, & he is well adapted for that place. Some seemed to think a Col^d minister would do more good, but I do not believe Mr Smith could possibly manage all those churches. There are perhaps some places Mr Smith could teach better than Mr M, but others, he could not do at all. I do think, as the people like Mr S. so much, that if he could be retained

there, much more could be accomplished, as there is plenty of work for both. however this is only my idea. I was wondering if the Church had power to make any such change, when the Rev. M. paid all expenses; If so, what would be the result at the Home &c.
If they did decide upon any thing, of course you have heard of it before this. I am a little anxious to know if any change is to be made. The Cal. people are so queer, they are never satisfied when they are doing well. I really hope no change will be made unless it is to retain Mr S. to assist Mr M. which I do think would be of great service.
I am visiting the Parents of

my friend Miss Borchard who was killed at "Ashlahula". She promised to give me something for our Chapel. Her father will give something from her estate also his own. He is an old man 84 years old. Her death was a terrible shock to him.

I have some horrible ink, can scarcely write with it.

I hope to hear from you soon, please direct to Townshend, Vermont, as I expect to go there tomorrow.

Hope all are well and prospering at the Rooms.

Ever truly your friend with much love

E. H. Twiche

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

2136 Henry Fassett,
5 00/100 West Enosburg,
Aug. 10/77 — Vt.

Rec'd
ack.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4103
FISK UNIV.

West Enosburg Vt Aug 10

Mr Hubbard

Dear Sir

Inclosed
please find $5.00 for your
very excellent enterprise.
I would be very glad were
the times easier to contrib-
ute larger. may the Lord
prosper His work through
your excellent Association
Your Servant.

Henry Fassett

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 41-404
FISK UNIV.

2140 L. C. Barrows
20 00/100 Middlebury
Aug. 11. 1877. Vt.

Middlebury Vt. Aug 11/77

H. M. Hubbard

Dear Sir Enclosed
I send Order for Twenty
Dollars, for the American
Missionary Association, from
our Sabbath School
Yours
L. C. Barrows
(Sup. Cong S.S.)

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7.00

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A. M. E. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4105
FISK UNIV.

Brattleboro, Vt., Aug 11 1877

Mr N. W. Hubbard

Dr. to C. F. Thompson & Co.

Enclosed we send you

Seven 7.00/100 Dollars

in payment of con. from Angl. S. School Wmsham

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

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C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt
Aug. 11 1877
Rec'd payt

F.M.A.
NO. HI-4106
YK UN.V.

Westminster West Aug 13. 1877

Brother Grant

There is a young man, a graduate of Amherst, of the last class, - a good pious man. He is disappointed in his expectations of a place as a teacher. Is there an opening for him in any of the schools of the A.M.S. I should be glad to have him employed in that society. It would interest my people more in it.

If you will interest yourself for him, you will do him a favor, and, I hope, do a good thing for your society.

Will you write me soon

and inform me, if there is any opening, for or that he may rest a hope, of employment, or that would encourage him to make application for a place.

All well as usual, and send regard for yourself & wife,

Yours truly

A. Stevens

Dr A. Stevens
Westminster Pot
Jonny wants
to teach

8-18-79
8-18-79

ack- 2151 Austin Birchard.
105 00/100 Fayetteville Vt

Fayetteville Vt. Augt 15th 1877

H. W. Hubbard Asst Treasurer
Am. Missionary Association
56. Read Street N.Y.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4107
FISK UNIV.

Dear Sir

You will please apply the 105 dollars interes due me on the 1st instant from said Association, to the payment of the following donations. To Wit—

Estate of the late Miss Mary R. Birchard ——— $80.00 ✓
Austin Birchard ——— 25.00
105.00

Both to be applied towards the finishing or furnishing the new Congregational Chapel at Savannah Georgia —— These donations were originally promised to Miss Eliza H. Twitchell, and But for the awful death of Miss Birchard at Ashtabula

last December — would have been paid to Miss Twickell some time ago

But now Miss Twitch-ell prefers that I should pay them directly into the treasury of the Association

Please acknowledge the receipt of this by letter

Very Respectfully
Your obt. Servant

Austin Richards

Ack.

2164 Mrs. Silas Wheeler
1 00 West Randolph,
Aug. 18/77. Vt.

West Randolph Orange Co. Vt Aug 18th - 77

Dear Sir

I enclose one dollar. What there is more than enough to pay my subscription I donate to the American Missionary society to be applied where it is thought to be most needed It is but a mite That the blessing of God may go with it is my prayer The last time I sent my subscription I thought it doubtful about my being able ever to send any more. But the good Lord has helped to another dollar I intend to send my mite as long as I can obtain it

Mrs. Silas Wheeler

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4108
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4109
FISK UNIV.

2204 Egra Strong
2 00/100
Benson, Vt.
Aug. 30th 1877.

Benson August 30-1877

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed two Dollars to continue the american missionary —

as I have just entered my eighty seventh year it is rational to suppose it will entitle me to it as long as I shall need it —

From the state of things existing it appears to be rational to advise the youth to enter on some useful honest promising employment

Egra Strong

2199 Miss L. P. Bartlett
$4.00/100 Weston, Vt.

Aug. 31. 1877.

Weston Vt. Aug 31st 1877.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4110
FISK UNIV.

H. W. Hubbard Esq.
New York city

Sir:

Please find inclosed Postal Order for four dollars for the A. M. A. for the "Freedmen"

From
Mrs. S. A. Sprague
and L. P. Bartlett,
"In Memory of their "Father"
$4.00

Respectfully
L. P. Bartlett

E. L. Denton
Vergennes
Vt.

9-5-77
9-5-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4111
FISK UNIV.

Yorgenus Gt.
Sept 3. 1879.

Rev. C. L. Woodworth
Boston Mass.

Dear Sir;

I have formerly been engaged in the work among the Freedmen as a teacher under the A. M. A. but was obliged to leave the work on account of sickness and death in my family. Since then the death of my parents leaves me homeless and free to seek any place I may choose. My heart turns back to my old work and longs to engage in it once more. I thought I

would write you and
ask if there was any
possibility of your giving me
a place as matron with the
opportunity to do missionary
work and teach in the S. School
I am fully competent to care
for one of the teachers homes
and I believe I can do it in
the most economical manner
As I have been in the
employ of the Association
five years, perhaps you would
not care for references, but
I have a letter of recommendation
from Rev Steven Thoulton
New Haven Vermont since I
am permitted to refer you to
him also. I can give others
if necessary. — I would say
that in the matter of salary
if the Association will give

me the usual travelling expenses and board, I will take a reduced salary, at least make a reduction of five dollars a month, from what they usually pay, and perhaps more.

Will you reply to this as soon as possible, that I may make my arrangements here for leaving or staying. Of course I would take a place as teacher if you prefer.

Very Respectfully Yours
(Miss) C. L. Benton

Bro. Shirley.

If you have a place for Miss Benton please write to her.

Yours &c
C. T. R.

A.M.E. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4112
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury. Vt.
Sep. 5 '77.

Dear Sir.

In March last I sent to your office by express a copy of Zells Cyclopedia (4 vols) designed for Talladega College. I believe I omitted to write you that they had started. Did they arrive?

H. W. Jones
St. Johnsbury
Vt.

9-7-77
9-11-77

Very truly yours,
Henry W. Loves.
Rev. M. E. Strieby Sec. &c.

2218
2770

OFFICE OF

E. W. & E. MORRIS,

Ephraim Morris
Sept. 5/77

Manufacturers of

Hartford, Vt.

Cane and Wood Seat Chairs,

AND GROUND PLASTER.

Rec'd
Acl'd

Hartford, Vt., Sept 5. 1877

M. W. Hubbard - Pr

Dear Sir.

I enclose check for $27 — cont^d by the Church & Society of this place for the Parchment funds

Please send receipt

Yours &c

Ephraim Morris,
T.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4113
FISK UNIV.

E. L. Benton

9-11-77 Vergennes

Vt.

A. M. A. ARC
NO. HI-4114
FISK UNIV.

Fergunes Va.
Sept 7. 1917.

Rev. Th. C. Stiles
New York:

Dear Sir

Your letter of the 3d inst was received yesterday, and I would say in reply that I learned piano music, with a view to teaching it, when I pursued my education otherwise. but for many years I was engaged so that I had no opportunity for practice and so do not play now. but I consider myself just as competent as ever to give instruction, to beginners at least, but I

I would not call myself a performer on the piano. Vocal music I would not recommend myself for at any rate.

My first experience under the Association was among the "contrabands" at Hampton Va. when Mr Hoy was superintendent I was there three years. The last Mr. now Rev. Geo. R. Merill was superintendent; but I was engaged in missionary work and an industrial school, it was the first year Gen Armstrong was there. Afterward I was in Inscalooosa Ala. a full year, commissioned by the Association paid by the State. I was alone there, during the Klux trouble. My last year was at Selma Ala, under the superintendence

of Rev C. C. Stickles.

I would be very glad indeed to be again engaged in the work if I may and earnestly hope that there may be some opening for me.

Very sincerely yours
E. L. Benton

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4115
FISK UNIV.

9-13-77
9-14-77

Aurelius Sykes
Dorset
Vt.

Dorset Vt Sep 18 1877

Rev J D Pike

Dear Sir

I have about eighty ~~of~~ small books (in good shape) that have been used by East Baptist S. S. that we propose to send to some point in the South if you think they would be acceptable & pay for sending Please let me hear from you

Yours haste Aurelius Sykes

Dorset Vt

Eliza Wood Blodgett
2267
$30 —
St. Johnsbury Vt.
Sept. 12/77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4116
FISK UNIV.

St Johnsbury Vt.
Sept 12th. 1877.

H. M. Hubbard Esqr
Asst Treas.r A. M. Association
56 Reed St New York.

Dear Sir.

I enclose herewith First National Bank of St Johnsbury. Sp. No. 1522. to your order on. The National Bank of the Commonwealth of Boston for the sum of Thirty dollars as a contribution for the general purposes of A.M. Missy Association and to constitute Elijah A. Blodgett of St Johnsbury Vermont. a life member of the association. and such other privileges as. by your rules I may be entitled. for reason of the contribution

Very Respectfully
Eliza Wood Blodgett
A.

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To Rev M E Strieby Sept 16 1877

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A Lynch

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READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

A. Lynch
Middlebury
St.
9-14-77
9-15-77 Letter

W. A. ARCHIVES

2285 Rev. J. P. Dennett

Williamstown Va.

Sept. 14. 1877

Sept 14th/877

Dear Sir,

I send P O Order to American Missionary Association it being the contribution of Cong'l Ch & Soc of this place. The Order was mislaid & hence the delay in sending it.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this.

Yours

John P. Dennett

Cong Pastor

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4118
FISK UNIV.

M. O. Harrington
St. Johnsbury
Vt.

9-20-77
9-20-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. A1-4119
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury. Vt.
Sept. 19th 1877

Sec. Study,
Dear Sir: The plans are arranged to have my ordination next Sunday the 23d. in Danvers, Mass: my meeting in Sunderland, Mass. on the 28th and to sail from Boston for Norfolk, Va. on the 29th: thence by rail, reaching Macon Wednesday, or Thursday.

To do this, I am compelled to ask a favor, owing to an unexpected failure of business arrangements, at the last moment: viz. If you can

considerably. Frankly, advance enough to get us on to the field! I need what Miss Emerson said and am very sorry to do this. Yet need forces me. Otherwise I cannot get them for some days later than you wish. I have ~~made~~ figured as closely as I could: and allowing for 'incidentals' on the way, & fright on board, I do hope them. Leave alone. I will need about $125.00. If you can send me check by return mail so I can get it

Friday P.M. It will be a great accommodation

If you will Dr. Shaw please ask him to bring for us the 3 or 4 of Co.

Am anticipating much pleasure in your

Yours truly

M. O. Hamilton

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4120
FISK UNIV.

ack. 2326/43

Cambridge Vt. Sept. 26. 1877

H. W. Hubbard ast. Treas.,
A. M. Association,

Please find a money order enclosed for $43.00 for sd Association,

From a "Friend" — 10.00
" Mr. Jesse Mudgett — 3.00
" E. Whitlock, S. M. Safford, O. W. Reynolds & H. Wires, 5.00 each — 20.00
" Mrs. Lucy Eaton, 1.25 Mrs. E. Whitlock, Mrs. M. Safford, Mrs. Mary Montague, Mr. E. Bentley, Mr. J. W. Turner, Mr. B. R. Holmes, H. Vaughn & J. E. Morse 1.00 each & others 1.75 = 10.00
$43.00

I wish to say a word about my deposit of the 1284.00 dollars.— I have the pledge of the Association that they will acknowledge every April & Oct. 51. 36 as a donation from Madison Safford & Mrs. M. Safford, so long as either of us live,— The pledge has been faithfully kept.— But I do not want the Association to suffer loss. When I paid the money it was drawing 8 pr. ct.— Times have changed & if the Association does not realize 8 pr ct. I do not want they should give me credit for any more than they do obtain,— This was my original offer, but they chose to take the money rather than Bank stock & pledge the 8 pr ct— I have mentioned this before & Mr. Whipple was to write me but his death prevented.—

Please send A. M. paper to Mrs. Lucy Eaton, Cambridge Vt,

Yours for the Right,
Madison Safford.

2326
$43.— +
Madison Safford
Cambridge
Sept. 26/11 Vt

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Mrs. A. Stevens 2348+
Westminster West 100/100
Vt.
Sept. 1877.

No. D. Aeli

The Ladies of the Congregational Church, Westminster West - Windham Co. Vermont - have forwarded, this day, to the "American Missionary Association", a barrel, containing dresses, stockings, sacks &c for women and boys, also three bedquilts - Total value $25.00 -

Enclosed find $1.00 to pay freight -

Mrs. Alfred Stevens.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4121
FISK UNIV.

via Hartford and N. Haven R. R.

Mrs L. H. Coffin 12355 +
Ludlow Vt. 1 00/100
Oct. 1/77

Ludlow Vt. Oct 1st. 1877.

Rec'd. Oct 4

C. M. Hubbard.

Dear Sir.

Please find enclosed One Dollar as a Donation in Memory of my Husband (Levi H. Coffin) who died April 16 after a very painful illness of over six weeks. He had long been a life member of the American Missionary Association. He died trusting in his Savior. The sum is small but its the Widows mite.

Yours respectfully
Mrs Levi H. Coffin.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4122
FISK UNIV.

A. L. Galbraith
Passumpsic
Vermont

10-9-77
10-25-77

A. M. A. ARC.
NO. HI-4123
FISK UNIV.

Passumpsic Vt.
Oct. 5: 1877.

Mr. Storrs:

I learn that you are the Secretary of the American Missionary Society. I would be much obliged if you will give me a little information in regard to the need of teachers for the freedmen and of the work expected of them.

I have taught in both mixed and graded schools. If you wish more teachers for the freedmen, for this winter, I think that I would like

to be one; but would prefer a little more definate knowledge of what would be required of me before I offer to attempt to fill such a position.

Respectfully Yours,
Alma Galbraith

Address: Miss Alma I. Galbraith
Passumpsic
Vermont.

3 Mrs. Susan Thompson
25 Mc Indoes, Vt
Oct. 6/77

Mc. Indoes. Oct 6th Vt

Mr H. N. Hubbard Dear Sir please send to my address the American Missionary commencing with this month - and find enclosed the required sum twenty five cts -

Respectfully -

Mrs Susan Thompson
Mc. Indoes, Vt -

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4124
R.S. UNIV.

4 3/4 Rev E W Hatch
9 50/100 East Berkshire, Vt.

Rec'd Oct. 16/77.

East Berkshire, Vt.
Oct. 10. 1877.

Edgar Wetherbee, Esq.
Dear Sir:

Find enclosed $9.50 from the Congregational Church of this place for the A. M. A. Association.

Yours &c.
Pastor

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4125
FISK UNIV.

31 A Woolson
200 00/100 Springfield
Vt
Oct. 12/77.

✓ N.D. / acts

Springfield Vt. Oct 12th /77

Mr Hubbard Asst Treas
A M Association

Dear Sir

Please find herewith Check for two hundred Dolls for the current charitable uses of your society

Fraternally Yours
A. Woolson

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-412
FISK UNIV.

49 Nettie A. Parker
20 00/100 Charlotte,
Vt.
Oct. 13/77.

acks & H.B.

Charlotte Vt.
Oct 13. 1877.

Mr H. W. Hubbard.
56 Reade St.
N. Y. City.

A.M.A. ARCHIVE
NO. HI-4127
ASK IN MY.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find draft for $20.00 - twenty dollars — for the use of the Freedmen.

Yours.
Very Respectfully
Nettie A. Parker.

54 ~~the~~ E. A. Ballou
3 00 Wallingford
100 Vt.

Oct. 16

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4128
FISK UNIV.

Rec'd. Oct 19

Wallingford Vermont
Oct 16th 1866

Mr. Ballou:

The ladies of our church are sending a barrel of clothing to Mrs. E. P. Gibson Atlanta Georgia. It will be sent as freight & perhaps Bonnington I will try and ascertain the name of the route. According to Mr Treat's instructions we send it in your care, hoping you will attend to its transfer across the city. Enclosed is money for the freight, you will please pay what is due & prepay the attached. Should there be more than enough to defray expenses, please send it to Mrs. G.

Truly Yours
E. A. Ballou

Dea. J. P. Southworth
West Fairlee, Vt.

Oct. 23/77 77

114.25

Rec'd. Act 5

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4129
FISK UNIV.

West Fairlee Vermont
Oct 28th/1877

Mr. Hubbard

Please find enclosed fourteen dollars twenty five cts. ($14.25) to be used for the benefit of the Freedman.

From the Congregational Church and Society in West Fairlee Vt.

Truly yours
Dea. J. P. Southworth

Post Office address.
Post Mills
Vermont

S. A. Stevens
St. Johnsbury
Vt.

10-27-77

J. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4130
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury Vt.
Oct. 25. 1877

Miss D. E. Emerson.

Dear Friend,

Your letter came last night and happened to find me here. I have spent most of the time since my return with my sister at West Concord and with my uncle on farms in the country where I could be perfectly quiet and free from all excitement.

My health is very much improved, my nerves are growing

stronger every day and otherwise I am perfectly well. I have given myself a more perfect rest this Summer and Fall than I ever expected to have in this world. I have lived out of doors almost entirely, have not taken a drop of medicine, but have let Nature do the work of repairing my shattered nervous system. I have gained sixteen pounds of flesh since I left Nashville and find myself in quite a good state of preservation for an old worn out N. M. A. teacher. I expect to start for Nashville about the middle of next month. My brothers are very much opposed to my teaching any for a year but I think I shall be able to do so by the time I am needed at Fisk.

You were correct about the opening of the schools in Louisville. I went there the first of Jan. 1868 and a Miss Ellen Jones came about the same time, Miss Kate Gilbert came in about six weeks after the opening and toward Spring a Mrs Cooper a Southern lady who lived in Louisville was employed. She was found to be very inefficient and was soon discharged. Miss Jones taught in a colored Methodist church on Center Street. the school was quite large and she had two colored assistants

Miss Jones was not allowed to use the body of the church but was obliged to teach in the basement a low, dark, miserable place. The building where I opened my school was in the lower part of the city on 19th St. in a very miserable neighborhood. The Building was an old private house containing four small rooms two above and two below the partitions were taken down this making two school rooms. Rev. I. K. Noble was the Bureau Supt. of Education and he attended to renting these buildings and I think the rent was paid by the Bureau, We were all A. M. A teachers and received our salary and travelling expenses from the

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

assist us and we all three had to teach in one room. I think there were about 250 scholars. We tried to charge twenty five cents a month but the people were so poor that but little tuition was ever collected until we went into the Ely Normal Building. I don't remember exactly about the second year but I think there was not over twenty dollars collected the first six months so you will see that with the exception of the rent nearly the expense of the schools came upon the A. M. A. I hope I have not omitted any thing you would like to know.

With love

Sarah A. Stevens

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4131
FISK UNIV.

Office at Cincinnati. we had no "Home" the two first years but had to board in Southern families which was not remarkably pleasant. we also received money from the office to pay our board. the first six months Miss Gilbert and I had to ride over two miles on the street cars every morning and evening but the next year we succeeded in find a boarding place nearer by with a poor widow woman. Miss Gilbert and I taught six months in the building I spoke of and then we were so crowded that we were obliged to move into a small church on 15th St. this was a very pleasant comfortable building but the school was so large that we had to have a colored lady to

105
13 75/100

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N. A. R. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-413
FSU UNIV.

Brattleboro, Vt., Oct. 25 1877

Mr H W. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Thirteen & 75/100 Dollars $ 13.75

in payment of Con. for Coy St. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson & Co

105
13.75/100
C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt.
Oct. 20/77.
Oct 25/77

Mrs. Alfred Stevens
West Westminster
Oct. 1877 Vt.

Barrel for "American Missionary Association" from Ladies of the Congregational Church Westminster West. Windham Co. Vermont.

Containing - dresses Stockings - sacks - &c for ladies, children and boys - also 3 bed-quilts.

Total value $25,00

Mrs. Alfred

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4133
FISK UNIV.

Sent to Marietta, Ga.

160
50c J. F. Woodman
Waits River Vt.
Nov. 5. 1877.

Waits River Vt Nov 5th 1877

Ever Dear Mission Association
my heart is with you & my money
Should be if I had any only to
live in a low State I am Struggling
with Poverty throu Sickness & Death
but hope for better days, but I must
Pay for my Paper that Comes regular
& always Interesting to me. Enclosed
find $\frac{50}{100}$ with Gods Blessing I hope
To See our land cleansed from the
Curse of Slavery & to that End I Pray
God to move the Hearts of the rich
in favor of this mission J F Woodman

NO. HI-4135
FISK UNIV.

2.17 R. S. Southgate
5 00 Woodstock Vt.
Nov. 16/77

✓ 16 d. / Acks

WINDSOR COUNTY

Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

Woodstock, Vt., Nov. 16, 1877.

Tr. Am. Mtg. Assoc.
New York City

Dear Sir,

I inclose chk. for $5.00, cont. from 1st Cong'l Ch. & Soc. to Am. Mtg. Assoc.

Yours resp.
R. S. Southgate,
Tr.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-4136
FISK UNIV.

M. P. Humphrey
Pittsford Vt.

232
10.00
1.00

Rec'd
acc'd

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4137
FISK UNIV.

Pittsford Vermont Oct 17th 1867

Mr Edgar Ketchum Treas

Inclosed find ten dollars ($10.00) donation from Mrs Nancy P. Humphrey to the American Missionary Association to be applyed to the Education of Freedmen

Yours
M. P. Humphrey

NB Mrs H wants the American Missionary sent to her till Jan 1st 1869 Address

Mrs N. P. Humphrey
Pittsford
Vermont

223 J H Goulding
44.48 Rutland Vt
Nov. 19. 1877

Rutland Vt Nov 19, 1877

Dear Sir:

Enclosed I hand you check to your order for $44.48 amount contributed by Rutland Congl Ch. and Society to Am Missy Association, which please acknowledge to

Respectly yrs
J. H. Goulding Tr
by Tiler

To
Edgar Ketchum Tr
Am Missy Assn.
Bible House
N.Y.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4138
FISK UNIV.

Rev E. T. Hooker
Castleton Vt.

230
#32 65/100

Nov. 20/77

✓ No. D.
Acl.

Castleton Vt.
Nov. 20. 77

Mr. Hubbard Treas.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed please find $32.65 collection from this Coll. Church & Soc for the A. M. A.

Yours Truly
Edw. T. Hooker
Pastor

M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-4189
FISK UNIV.

You may make Mr. M. Caswell a Life Member if you choose.

299 Ephraim Morris
52 73/100 Hartford Vt.

J. B. RAND, President.

EPHRAIM MORRIS, Secretary and Treasurer.

Ottaquechee Woolen Co., Dec. 2/77

(FACTORY, NORTH HARTLAND, VT.)

R.S. acks

Hartford, Vt., Dec 2 1877

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4140
FISK UNIV.

M. W. Hubbard Esq.
Asst. Treas.
Dear Sir.
I enclose check for Fifty two 73/100 dollars contributed by the Cong. Church & society, in this place for the purposes of the A. M. A ~~tese~~ Please send receipt & oblige —
Yours very truly
Ephraim Morris,
Tr. — society

302
500/10

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4141
UNIV.

Pittsford Vt Dec 3 1877

Mr Edgar Ketcham Treas,

Dear Sir

Enclosed I hand you P.O. order for Five dollars, my donation to the American Missionary Association. May God bless the Efforts of the good people who are laboring to bring the lost out of darkness. is the humble Prayer of the donor.

Yours Respectfully

Thos D Hall

302
$5.00
Thomas D. Hall
Pittsford Vt

Dec. 3/77

$5.00

Mrs. R. P. W. Baldwin
West Townshend
12-x-77 Vt.
12-8-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4142
FISK UNIV.

West Townshend Windham Co.
Vermont Dec. 5. 1877.

H. W. Hubbard Esq.

Dear Sir,

Our society have been at work for the Freedmen. We now have articles to fill a barrel, consisting of quilts, pillows, dresses, mostly for girls, stockings, one pair of sheets, two pairs of pillow cases, with a few other things. We have never done any thing for the Freedmen in this way, since my husband has ministered to this people, till now. All have not taken as much interest in the matter as we could wish. I fear they read very little upon the subject. Therefore we have felt particularly anxious to have what little we have been able to do, sent where it is most needed, and where the

reflex influence upon ourselves would be the greatest. I wrote Miss Henrietta Matson, a teacher in Fiske University, with whom we are acquainted, several weeks ago, asking her advice about the place to which we had best forward our things. We have rec'd no reply from Miss Matson, and therefore write you.

We are but a little band, and sometimes feel if we sustain the institutions of the Gospel among ourselves, unaided, we have done our part. Could there be more interest excited, and more information diffused upon the objects of the A. Miss. Ass., perhaps we might another time, be able to do something for the cause.

Please answer as soon as convenient. If it is best to send our articles to you, and have you send them where you choose we do not object. We shall send by way of Brattleboro. Will you please inform us, how to direct from Brattleboro to you, and the probable expense.

Most Truly Yours Rosina P. W. Baldwin.

Rev. S. I. Briant
Hartford
Ct. Hartford
Dec. 7. 1877.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NOV 11-1943
FISK UNIV.

$11

Dec. 7. 1877.

To the Treas. A. Miss Assoc.

56 Reade St. N. York,

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find eleven dollars ($11.) for the Am. Miss. Assoc., from the "Women's Missing Society" connected with the Congl. Ch. Hartford, Vermont.

Yours
Rev. S. I. Briant.
(for Secretary)

V. H. D.
Ack'd

Chas. E. Beard
Brookfield Ct.

Dec. 14/77

582
25

R.D. / acct.

Brookfield Ct Dec 14/77

Rev. M. E. Strieby
Dear Sir
enclosed please find twenty five cents for which please send me the American Messenger for one year commencing with the Dec number
address

Chas. E. Beard
Brookfield
Orange Co
Ct

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4144
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C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro, Vt.
Dec. 15 1877
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No. HI-4145
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Brattleboro, Vt., Dec 15 1877

Mr N. N. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Eight 50/100 Dollars $8.50

in payment of Con. F. Ch. in Westminster,

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson Co

A. M. E. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4146
FISK UNIV.

Madison Stafford
Cambridge Vt
Dec 17 1877.

Cambridge Vt, Dec. 17. 1877

Mr. Hubbard Esq.
Treas. A. M. Association,

Please find enclose 22,00 from the following names.

Dea. Solomon Montague, Cambridge Vt,	$10.00
Mrs. Benjamin Barrett " "	2.00
Mr. John Kinsley North Cambridge Vt,	10.00
	$22.00

The change from 8 to 7 pr ct is satisfactory unlet money will readily obtain 8 pr. ct, in market. Benj. Barrett is dead & I do not know whether you now send a paper with his name on, this place, if not please send one to Mrs. B. Barrett, Cambridge Vt,

Madison Stafford

Rev. W. T. Herrick
West Charleston Ot

Dec. 18/77 W. Charleston Ot

435

$25 25

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4147
FISK UNIV.

Dec. 18. 1877

H. W. Hubbard Esq. asst Treas. A.M.A.

N.D. / Ack'd

Herewith find draft for $25.25 to be applied towards paying the debt of the Am. Mis. Asso.

Please acknowledge to

Yours truly.

Rev. W. T. Herrick,
as above

M. A. and S. E. Albin.
West Randolph, Vt.
Dec. 20/77 439 $6

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
HI-4148

H.S. ack'd

1877

West Randolph Vt Dec 20

Mr Strieby

within find enclosed six dollars would gladly have sent it sooner and a larger sum if that were possible but we find it more and more difficult to save so much, We wish it to be devoted to the benefit of the colored race where and as you think best.

Respectfully M. A. & S. E. Albin

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4149
FISK UNIV.

12-26-71

Received of

St Johnsbury Vt Dec 22 1871

M. E. Strieby Cor. Sec.

on a/c W. O. Barrington

Fifty one 1/100 Dollars.

$51.01

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4149
FISK UNIV.

Stewart Bros.

Asahel Clark
Royalton, Vt.
Dec. 24/77

442
527

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4150
FISK UNIV.

✓ 10.D.
aetly

Royalton Vt Dec 24th 1877

Mr H. W. Hubbard. Treas of A. M. A.
56 Reade Street. N-York.

Dear Sir.

Please find enclosed a Check on Chase National Bank. New York City. For twenty Seven Dollars. From the Congregational Church and Society of Royalton Vt. in aid of the A. M. Association Please send me a Receipt for the same.

Yours truly.

Asahel Clark.
Collector.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4151
FISK UNIV.

Granby, Essex Co, Vt.
Dec. 24. 1877

Treas. Am. Missy Assoc.

Enclosed please find One & half Dollar for Am. Missy Assoc from Granby & North Victory.

The Am. Missy sent to R. A. Hollenbeck, please send to S. T. Dudley, as Mr H. has removed. The other copies of Am Missy for 1878 as present year

C. Deuen
Appleton
Rice

Yrs. very truly
Chas. Deuen
Pastor Congl Ch.

Rev. Chas. Deuen
Granby Vt
Dec. 24/77
4/66
$1.50

"X.Y.Z." Chester, Vt

Dec. 24/77

468

$1 —

Chester Vt. Dec. 24.

Inclosed please find one dollar for association's work. which please acknowledge in Missionary

X.Y.Z.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4152
FOR ORIG.

Mrs. R. Baldwin
West Townshend
Vt.

12-28-77
12-29-77

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4153
FISK UNIV.

West Townshend, Windham, Co.
Vermont, Dec. 29, 1877.

Rev. M. E. Strieby.

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 6 inst. was duly rec'd. The Ladies of "The Charitable Society" of this place, decided to follow your recommendation, and forward our contribution for the Freedmen to Greenwood S.C. A barrel directed to H. W. Hubbard 56 Reade St. New York city, to be forwarded to Greenwood S.C. was filled with articles valued at, $42, (forty two dollars) some ten days ago.

Our express man who carries it free to Brattleboro, could not take it last week. He will take it to morrow.

We hope it may reach you without further delay, and be of service to some of the needy ones struggling with want.

The barrel contains four large quilts, and one small one, six pillows, nine dresses, eleven pairs of stockings one pair of sheets, two pairs of pillow cases with a few other articles of wearing apparel.

Enclosed please find $2. (two dollars) for freight.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Rosina P. W. Baldwin

Pres. "C. S."

A. M. Amsden
Hardwick Vt.
Dec. 26/77. 50¢
$15—

✓ H.D. / aeth

Hardwick Vt Dec 26th 1877

Mr H. W. Hubbard, Dear Sir.

Please find enclosed a Post Office Order of fifteen dollars from A. M. Amsden and wife M.B.A. to be used at your discretion as a mite in your most noble work of love and humanity

Respectfully Yours and good will to all men. A. M. Amsden

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
HI-4154

R. A. Savage Stowe Vt.
Dec. 27/77 502
$44.14

✓ No. D. / acks

Stowe, Vermont, Dec 27. 1877

Treasurer, American Missionary Association,

Dear Sir,

Enclosed find P. O. Money order, $44.14 a collection for the A. M. Association, from the Congregational Church of Stowe Vt. for the benevolent work of said Society,

Respectfully yours
R. A. Savage.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4155
FISK UNIV.

James D. Duncan
5/12 Shelburn
Dec. 28/77 $10 — Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4156
FISK UNIV.

Shelburne Vt. Dec 28 77

H. W. Hubbard Asst Treas
Am. Miss Ass. 56 Read St New York

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send my check on 1st Nat. Bank of Plattsburgh for Ten Dollars for which with the Twenty Dollars contributed last May please fill out a membership to Mrs. Josie Merrill as a contribution from Mrs. Mattie Duncan & date it Jany 1st 1878

Please send the certificate & the Amer Missionary soon as convenient to Mrs. Josie Merrill care of Rev. Benj Merrill
Ausable Forks Essex Co. N.Y.

Yours Respectfully
Jas D. Duncan
Shelburn
Chittenden Co.
Vt.

Rec'd
Ack

Wm Frost & M. K. Frost
Norway, Me.
521
$5.25

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-4157
FISK UNIV.

Norway, Dec 8,

Rev D. Acc

Mr Hubbard, Dear Sir,
Enclosed is five dollars for the colored people, 25 cts for my paper the Missionary,
yours with respect.

Wm. Frost, Mary K. Frost,

Oxford Co State Maine,

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt
Oct 1907

C. F. Thompson & Co.,

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C. F. THOMPSON. S. E. HOWARD.

Brattleboro, Vt., Dec 29 1877

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed ~~we~~ send you

Ten 29/100 Dollars $ 10.29

in payment of Com. for Ch. in Windham

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

Vt Hist. Soc.

A. M. A. ARC. NO. HI-4158.4 FISK U. LIB.

A. M. A. ARCH.
NO. HI-4159
FISK UNIV.

H. D. Tuttle
West Rutland Vt
Jany 1st 1878 520
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acks

West Rutland Vt
Jan 1st 1878

Mr Ritchum!
Dear Sir.
Please accept from the Young Ladies Working Band which is the result of a recent Fair held by them in this place for the benefit of the A. M. Association Check for Sixty five dollars and also their best wishes for the Cause in which you are engaged. Please remember us all at the Throne of Grace and May the best of Heavens Blessings rest upon you one and all. H. D. Tuttle
Treasurer Comy Ch & Society W.R.

C. F. Thompson & Co.
Brattleboro
Vt.
$12.42
Jan 4/78

C. F. Thompson & Co.,

DEALERS IN

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FERTILIZERS, FLOUR AND GROCERIES.

C. F. THOMPSON. S. E. HOWARD.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4160
FIGH UNIV.

Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 4 1878

Mr H. N. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Twelve quart 42/100 Dollars $ 12.42

in payment of Con. Ch. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

Pd. Jan

Mrs L. G. Cone
Winchester Vt.

6-19
8 2 20

Rec'd. 1/16/78
Ack't

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4161
FISK UNIV.

January 14/78

Dear Sir —

Enclosed find money order $2.25. The 25 for the annual memorial to be directed to Miss Dorothy Smith, Manchester, Vermont. The $2.00 to be sent to the Freedmen, and if you give notice in your paper of such donations let it be from a friend of "Mumms"

Oblige
Mrs L. G. Cone
Manchester
Vt —

✓ N.D. / acl.

772 G. H. Coffin
50c Chester
Jany 8/78 Vt.

Chester Vt Janu 8th 1878

Dear Sir I send you 50 cts for the American Missionary for 1878 to begin in January I have the January number so you need not send that again to me

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4162
RISK/UNIV.

Father died last Oct 8th George Coffin of Chester Vt

Please send the Missionary to G H Coffin
Chester
Windsor Co Vt
and much oblige a friend

$90 E. A. Cobb
Pennington
77 25/100
Ct

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL4163
FISK UNIV.

Jany 9 1878

Rec'd. & ack'd

Pennington Ct
Jan 9 1878

F. M. Hubbard Esq Asst Treas
Am Miss Ass'n

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Drft on Boston endd payable to your order for $77.25 amt of coll'ns taken by Pen Cong Ch & Soc of Pennington for Am Miss Ass'n for year ending Dec 31, 1877.

Please acknowledge receipt and apply $6.00 of the amt to constitute Mrs F. C. White and #~~Mrs Anna C. Park~~ life members of the Association.

#made L. M. in 1876

Yours Resp
E. C. Cobb Supt
Pen Cong Ch

Please send certif of membership as above.

over

P.S

Please send me an Mis-
-sionary for 1878 and charge
same to a/c Life Membership

E. A. Cobb

Z. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4164
FISK UNIV.

808
#1 00/100
Jany 11/78

Mrs H W Stevens
~~Miss L H Jordan~~
East Hardwick,
Vt.

East Hardwick Vt.
Jan 18th 1878.

H. W. Hurlbut.

Sir.

The Ladies of this place forwarded to your address 1 Barrel of Clothing, for the freedmen. It is designed for the benefit of the Students. It was sent from here the 17 of January 1878. Will you please let us know when it is used as we shall feel more interest, and may do some thing more in the future

over

Enclosed please find
one dollar {$1.} to pay
for the American Dis-
pensary for the coming year.
for ~~Mrs. S. H.~~
Mrs S. H. Philbrook
and
Mrs S. W. Jordan
East Hardwick
Vermont.

710
100 00 To Geo. Leslie
Wells River,
Vt

Rec'd. ack

National Bank of Newbury.

Jany 12/78

$300,000 ~~CAPITAL~~.

W. H. CUMMINGS, Prest. GEO. LESLIE, Cash.

Wells River, Vt. 12 Jan 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq
Asst. Treas &c
56 Reade Street
New York

M. A. ARCHIVES
No. H1-4165
N. Y.

Dear Sir: The inclosed One hundred dollars are from Widow Mary A. Abbott, deceased, of this village who made the verbal request only of her children that they would give that amt of her money for the Education of the freedmen

Very respty
Geo. Leslie

Send a receipt running to her Estate —

774
2 00/100 Seth Conant

Pomfret January 14 1878
Pomfret Postoffice,
Windsor County,
Vermont.

Assistant Treasurer A. M. A.
Dear Sir.

I enclose two dollars which after paying for the Missionary may be used for the benefit of your cause.

Yours
Seth Conant

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4166
FISK UNIV.

Chas. B. Swift
Saint Albans
Jany 17. 1878 Vt

802
33 34/100

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-416
FISK UNIV.

St Albans Vt Jan. 17 1878

Rev.
Geo
W. H. W. Hubbard,
Asst. Treas Am. Miss. Assn
Dear Sir

Enclosed find draft for $33 34/100 which is the semi-annual contribution of the First Church & Society of St Albans Vt to the Am. Miss. Association.

Yours truly
Chas B. Swift

826
1.00/100

Mrs L G Sprague
Castleton
Vt

Jany 14/78

N.D.

Castleton, Vt
Jan. 18th 1878.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4168
UNIV.

H. W. Hubbard -
Dear Sir

Enclosed please send an "American missionary" to the following names - We have taken them the past year & wish to continue our subscription -

Mrs. L. G. Sprague
Castleton,
Rutland Co.,
Vermont -

Miss L. A. Hoyes -
Castleton,
Rutland Co.,
Vermont -

P.S. I see I have omitted considerable in my great haste - please pardon - & find enclosed one dollar ($1.00)

838 R. D. Nichols
50c Williamstown,
Jany 21/78 Vt.

✓ R.D. acct.

H. H. Hubbard 56 Broade St. New York

Sir: Enclosed find fifty-one cents in stamps for the Amer. Mining Mag. another year. I am glad to see it in Mag. form as for myself at least.

Yours in haste
R. D. Nichols.

21st Jan, 1878. Williamstown, Vt.

N. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. H1-4169
UNIV.

A. M. A. ARC
NO. HI-4170
FISK UNIV

Hayettevill Windham County Vt
Jan 22 1878

Mr Hubbard Inclosed I send you
five dollars for the benefit of the
Freed men as you may think best

Asa Ridder

$5.54 Asa Ridder
5.00 to Hayettevill
.54 Jany 22/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4170
FISK

8451 F. O. Burdett
7.00 Fayetteville
Jany 22/78 Oh

Rec'd
Ans

Fayetteville Oh. Jan 22. 1878

H. W. Hubbard

Dr Sir:

Enclosed find P. Office order for seven dollars ($7.00) the same being a contribution from our S. School, for the American Missionary Association. Our school is small, but we have contributed our mite, & hope it may do good for the cause

Yours Truly
F O Burdett

H W Hubbard
56. Reade Street
New York

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-417
FISK UNIV.

~~$~~ 5-5 Henry Sherman
50 00/100 Pittsford
Jany 23/78 Vt

✓ 18.D. aeh

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4172
FISK UNIV.

Pittsford, Jan 23 1878

Dear Sir

I send you a check for $50.00

By order of the Committee of the Congregational Society of Pittsford, for the American Missionary Association

please inform on rec.t of this

Henry Sherman Treasurer

871 Mrs. H. W. Stevens
3rd 100 East Hardwick,
Jany 23/78 Vt.

H.D.
ans

F. W. A. ARCHIVES
H1-412

East Hardwick Vt.
Jan 23rd 1878.

Mr H. W. Hubbard.

Sir.

The 17th day of January a box of clothing was sent you from this place. containing 4 sheets. 4 pairs pillow cases 4 shirts. 2 comforters. 1 table cloth. designed for the freedmen

The 18th day of Jan. I (sec) of the society sent you a letter. and one dollar in money for a lost missing. but though haste. forgot to sign my name.

since sending the letter. I

have received 3 dollars more for their use. which money please find inclosed.
The Magazine have received please discontinue this Mag- sent formerly to A. H. Jordan as the one to Mrs L. W. Jordan is the same.
Hope to hear of the safe arrival of the box at its destination soon.

Respectfully Yours.
Mrs H. W. Stevens
Sec

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4174
FISK UNIV.

B. S. Nichols
Burlington Vt
Jany 24/78

Office of B. S. NICHOLS & CO.,

ENGINEERS & MACHINISTS.

Manufacturers of the Celebrated

Gould Steam Fire Engines, and all Fire Apparatus,

Burlington Machine Shop, Pioneer Buildings.

Rec'd 2/6

Burlington, Vt., Jany 24 1878

Edgar Ketchum Esq Treas
Ada Missionary Association
61 Reade Street New York

My Dear Sir,

I will enclose a draft for one hundred dollars, it being the amount of a bequest made your society in her will by my Mother "Mrs R. S. Nichols of"
Essex Junction Vt

Please send me a receipt and let the bequest be noted in the Magazine at the proper time.

Respectfully Yours
B. S. Nichols

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-417
FISK UNIV.

Rev Lewis Grout

✓ A.D.

N. Molkton Vt.

Jan. 28/78.

H. N. Hubbard Esq.
asst Treas. &c.

Dear Sir –

Last Nov. I sent you (via Bost.) upwards of $40. from the Cong'l Ch. & Soc. in Chester, Vt., in consideration of which they would like to have their pastor, Rev. Henry L Slack constituted a Life member of the Am. Mis. Assn. I have told them that I think this will be done. They are good friends of the cause – would like to have the new sys. pastor interested in the Assn. Hope the request may be granted.

Yours cordially

Lewis Grout

Agent A.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4176
FISK U.

956/50c L D Coy
Manchester Ct
Jany 31/78

✓ HW/ack

Manchester, Ct. Jan 31/78

H. W. Hubbard (Asst Treas)
Dear Sir

Enclosed please find 50 cts for American Missionary from Jan 1st 1878 to Jan 1st 1879

Very truly yours
L. D. Coy

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4177
FISK UNIV.

James Peck's
Burlington Vt
Jany 31/78

961
57c

"BEE HIVE."

Peck Brothers,

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4128
FISK UNIV.

Dry Goods and Carpets,

JAMES PECK,
J. E. PECK.

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 31, 1878

Am. Miss Association

Enclosed please find 50 cts in payment for the "Am. Missionary" for the year 1878 - Having been Treasurer of our church the past few years I have been on the "free" list - but not holding that position now I will pay for the Am. Miss. -

Yours Truly
James Peck

994 Mrs. E. G. Baxter
3 00/100 North Shelford
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4179
Yale UNIV.

Jan 31st

North Shelford
Vermont

Dear Sir,
Please find enclosed 3.00 D., Out of which is to paid my yearly subscriptions for the Amer Missionary, the remainder to be used for the benefit of the Association.

Respt

Mrs E G Baxter.

4 acks

1843 J L Fisher
15 00/100 Chester Depot
Vt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4180
ASTR UNIV.

Chester Depot Vt
Oct 1st 1878

American Mis. Ass.

Within please find
fifteen dollars for
benefit of the ass

Yours truly

J. L. Fisher
Chester Depot
Windsor Co
Vt

ack'd

H. E. FLETCHER & CO.

FLOUR & GRAIN.

IN REPLY TO YOURS OF

1611

457 99/100

E. F. Griswold
St Johnsbury
Vt.

St. Johnsbury, Vt. Feby 1st 1878

Edgar Fletcher Esq Tr
A.M.A.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4181
DEC UNIV.

Enclosed find check on Gladstone Nat Bank Boston for Four Hundred Fifty Seven and 99/100 Dollars ($457 99/). being the amount contributed for the American Missionary Association by the North Cong'l Church of this place. for the year 1877. -

Of this amount. Sixty Five 40/100 Dollars ($65 40/) was contributed by the Sabbath School. for Sunday School work. -

Please acknowledge receipt of this

Yours Resp'y
E. F. Griswold Treas

457 99
65 40 Sab. Sch.
392,59 Church.

1030 Mrs S. Rice
50c Townshend
Vt.
Feb. 5/78

1878

Townshend Vt Feb 5 Vt

AMERICAN ARCHIVES
No. H1-4182
YALE UNIV.

American Missionary
Association

Sirs Enclosed
please find 50 fifty cts to
pay for the American Missionary
which you are now sending me
for the year 1878

Yours Truly
Mrs S Rice

1069 Chas. B. Swift
52 81/100 Saint Albans
Feb. 9. 1878 Vt.

St Albans Feby 9. 1878

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4183
FISK UNIV.

Wm H. W. Stubbard.
Dear Sir.

Enclosed find draft for $52.81 which is a Contribution from the first Cong. Church & So. of St Albans Vt to the Am. Miss. Asso.

Yours truly,
Chas B. Swift

1079 Mrs. S. A. Washburn,
West Randolph, Vt.
1011/1011 Feb. 9th 1878

A. ARCHIVES
1711-4184
UNIV.

Vermont
West Randolph Orange County,
Feb. 9th 1878

H. W. Hubbard

Dear Sir

I send you one dollar, for the American Missionary, the subscription price being fifty cents, leaving fifty for your disposal. I wish it were as many dollars, but God knows the heart and will not despise the most humble offering.

Sincerely Yours

Mrs. S. A. Washburn

1083 P. W. Ladd
5 00/100 Newbury Vt

✓ N.D. / adi

Newbury Orange County
Vermont
Feb 9th 1878

Rev. W. Hubbard Treas
"American Missionary Association"
Diar Sir

ARCHIVES
FISK UNIV.
NO. H1-4185

Please find inclosed five (5)
dollars for "The Debt"

Please acknowledge receipt

Respectfully yours
P. W. Ladd

1042 John Foot
1 av Salisbury
Feb. 15/78 Vermont

Salisbury Feb 15 - 1878

Mr H. H. Hubbard

and you will find enclosed one dollar for the American Missionary, you please acknowledge the same in your Paper I have remitted money to the association but never ~~had~~ noticed any acknowledgment of it

Yours Foot

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4186
FISK UNIV.

1157 Mrs. Dr L. C. Butler
1/04 Essex Vt.
100 Feb. 18/78

Essex Vt Feb 18 1878

Mem Enclosed find one dollar for which continue ~~send~~ Amoneer Missionary to my address during the coming year 1878. 1879

Yours Respectfully
Mrs. Dr. L. C. Butler

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4197
FISK UNIV.

1161 Mrs. C. M. Holbrook
50¢ West Fairlee Vt
Feb. 18/78

V.K.D.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4188
FISK UNIV.

West Fairlee Vt.
Feb. 18th 1878

Mr H. W. Hubbard

I enclose fifty cents to pay for the American Missionary which you are sending me. What I pay to the Association is sent with the donation from the Cong. church and society in West Fairlee. Our P. O. address is Post Mills Orange Co. Vt.

Yours truly

Mrs C. M. Holbrook

1167 H. D. Hall
10 06/100 North Bennington Vt.
Feb. 19th 1878

Vt. H.D.
rcl

North Bennington Feb 19. 78

A. W. Tuttle Esq
Cor Sec A. M. A. Soc.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4189
FISK UNIV.

Dear Sir

I send inclosed draft $10.06, it being the collection taken at our Church (North Bennington Cong'l) for the American Missionary Association.

Yours Very Truly
H. D. Hall

L. Cheney 1181/50
Morrisville, Vt
Feb. 20/78

Morrisville Vt Feb 20th 1878

Mr Hubbard

Dear Sir enclosed please find fifty cents in postage stamps to pay for the American Missionary for the year 1877 & 78 for Dea. C French & will you please send him a receipt for the same

Yours Respectfully
L Cheney

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4190
FISK UN

Betsey Nichols 1176
West Randolph Vt 2 00/100
Feb. 21/78
ack

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4191
FISK UNIV.

West Randolph Feb 21st 78

Mr. Hubbard,

Sir, enclosed you will
a Post Office Order for two dollars
to pay for the American Missionary
and the remainder for the
Association.

Respectfully yours

Betsey Nichols

Rec'd Mch Feb. 25th 78.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4182
FISK UNIV.

Williston Vt Feb. 22d 1878

Edgar Ketchum Esq Treasurer N. Y.

Dear Sir

I have deposited to your credit in the Burlington Savings Bank Burlington Vt the sum of $500 five hundred Dollars a bequest of Deacon Eben Sanford late of Williston Vt the bequest reads I give and bequeath to the American Missionary Association New York City to be applied to its charitable uses and purposes five Hundred Dollars

C. F. Ward Treasurer of the Burlington Savings Bank at Burlington Vt has my order to pay you the amount when called for

Geo. Lawton Executor of the last will and testament of Deacon Eben Sanford of Williston Vt

Austin Birchard 1260
Fayetteville Vt. 2 00/100
March/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. A1-4193
FISK UNIV.

Fayetteville Vt
Feb. 27th 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq Ass't Treas.
Am. Missionary Association

✓ 16. D. / acks

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed two dollars ($2) to be credited as follows in payment of the Am. Missionary

Miles Knowlton for the year 1878 — 50 ✓
Dea. Asa Kidder " " " " — 50 ✓
Austin Birchard " " " — 50 ✓
" " for last year — 25 ✓
Mary D. Johnson for last year — 25 ✓
$2.00

If you will authorize me to do so, I will try to collect from persons who do not contribut to yr. Treasury — pay for the Am. Missionary — for the past & for the present — But I am old & weak & shall have to get help to do it

Respectfully Yours
Austin Birchard

1218

S. M. POPE, President. C. F. WARD, Treasurer.

THE BURLINGTON

SAVINGS BANK

Burlington, Vt. Feb 27 1878

A. ARCHIVES
H1-4194
FISK UNIV.

Mr. H. Hubbard Esq. Asst. Treas.,

Dear Sir.

Your letter of the 25 inst is received. I inclose draft on Park Bank for Five Hundred Dollars, the amount willed to the American Missionary Association by the late Deacon Sanford of Williston Vt.

You will please send receipt

Respectfully
Yours
C. F. Ward Treas

1218
$500 00
C. F. Ward
Burlington Vt
Estate of Dea. Ezbon Sanford
late of Williston Vt.

~~Rev~~ R. D. Nichols 1278
Williamstown 100
Vt

March 4/78

Williamstown, Vt., 4th March 78.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4195
FISK UNI

Rec'd

Mr. L. Hubbard
Sir,

The 17th ult. I ordered by card a copy of the American Missionary Magazine (to begin with the year, if you could so begin it) to be sent to Dr. J. E. Maley Williamstown, (Orange Co.) Vt. but since the March No. has come he says he has not received any. I promised to pay for it when I ordered it (supposing my credit good) and not discordant with your practice to do so. I now enclose one dollar for the Mag. to the above address, and a copy to Mrs. Sarah Newton, Brookfield, (Orange Co.) Vt. for one year from the expiration of her last year's subscription (March). (Whiting was in your place)

*It might have made a difference if Mr.

I shall claim the privilege of ordering another copy free, being mine free for the other.

In a year ago I could get ten subscribers, perhaps I have a new.

Yours fraternally & truly,

W. D. Nichols.

P.S. Please acknowledge the receipt of this and give me the address of the Council Fire Journal or send me a specimen.

Id.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 111-4196
FISK UNIV.

March 4. 1878 1287
N. M. Pierce 2 20/100
Ludlow Windsor Co Vt
March 4/78

H. M. Hubbard Esq
Dear Sir
enclosed I send you
(200) Two dollars for
the American Missionary

Mrs Polly Martin 1.00
N. M. Pierce 1.00

Will you please
inform us to what
time these amts pay
I don't know how
I stand with you
I enclose stamp
for return postage
Yours truly
N. M. Pierce
Ludlow Vt

1306
10 00/100

Mrs C B Aiken
Grafton, Vt

March 1878.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4197
FISK UNIV.

Grafton, Vermont.
March 6, 1878.

Mr. Hubbard,

Sir: Enclosed find ten dollars; fifty cents of which is to pay for the A. M. Magazine which you send to Mrs. S. Dresser of Grafton Vt. The nine dollars fifty is for the American Miss. Association, which I wish acknowledged in the A. M. Magazine "from a life member" Vermont.

Yours Respectfully,

Mrs. C. B. Aiken

1378 Lyman Clark
10 00/100 Marshfield
March 13/78 Vt.

√ 28 D. Marshfield Vermont ~~[illegible]~~
act. March 13th 1878

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4198
FISK UNIV.

Mr Hubbard

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed ten dollars
$10, 00

Yours &c Lyman Clark

Jervis Barber

Pest Poultry Yards

Pt March 20 78

March 20/78

A. W. Hutchins Asst Treas

56 Wall Street N.Y.

Dear Sir

Please Stop my American Missionary Paper & Pamphlet

Please find 4 postage stamps to balance acct.

Yours

Jervis Barber

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. III-4199
FISK UNIV.

G. G. Benedict
Burlington, Vt
March 28/78

1480
32.02/100

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4200
FISK UNIV.

Burlington Vt Mar 28 1878

N. W. Hubbard Esq
Treas. Am. Miss Asso
New York

Rec'd 4/6/78

Dear Sir

Enclosed find draft for $32.02, being contribution of the Third Cong. Church of Burlington Vt to the funds of your Association.

Yours truly
G. G. Benedict
Treas. 3d Cong. Ch

1598
2a
Levi Belknap
East Barnard April 16 1878
East Barnard

H W Hubbard Esq Dr

April 16/78

Dr Sir

Inclosed please find two dollars for the American Missionary Association

yours Truly
Levi Belknap

A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4201
FISK UNIV.

O. F. Buxton 16.00
Westminster Vt 11.00/100

April 15/78

Westminster West.
Windham Co. Vt.
Apr. 15th 1878

Mr. Hubbard Esq.
Dear Sir

Rec'd. 15 D. ack'd

Enclosed please find eleven dollars which our Cong. S. School send to help in your good work among the freedmen.
This was the result of monthly penny collections.

Yours truly
O. F. Buxton.
Supt. Cong. S. S.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4202
FISK UNIV.

1584 Harry Smith
5 00/100 Swanton Vt

Rec'd D. act

Swanton April 16th 1878

Mr H. W. Hubbard

Dear sir. I send enclosed five dollar which you may apply to missionary purpose as you think best.

Yours respectfully. Harry Smith

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HL-4203
FISK UNIV.

North Walden N. Y. Apr. 20 / 78.

Enclosed please find fifty cts 50
to pay for the American Missionary
another year. Please send me a receipt
or put the address tag on the paper.
May your work be greatly prospered
and blessed. Yours in Christ

S. W. Owen.

Please change my address from Hardinsburg
to North Walden

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4264
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. NO.
FISK UNIV.

(Not cedis)

1623 Wm B. Kimball
14.10 / 7.00 Post Mill Village
April 22/78 Vt.

Post Mills Vill. Orange County
Vermont. April 22nd 1878

Mr Hubbard Dr Sir
You will find ~~enclosed~~ the sum of $14.10 enclosed, which is the result of the monthly contributions of our Congregational Sabbath school at West Fairlee Centre. We would like the same applied to the benefit of the freedmen; a cause which we consider most worthy

Wm B. Kimball Superintendent
(P.O. Address as above)

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4205
FISK UNIV.

1625 - Henry H. Wheeler
Fitzwilliam
N.H.

20/100

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4206
FISK UNIV.

April 24th 1878

Mr. H. W. Hubbard
56 Reade St.
New York.

Dr. Sir:

Please find inclosed one dollars and twenty cents, ($1.20) for the American Mining the present year.

Yours respectfully

Mrs. Henry H. Wheeler
Fitzwilliam
N. H.

Mr. W. Wheeler
Troy
N. H.

J. H. Johnson

Bethel Ch. Mar 25

W. E. Whiting

61 John St. N.Y.

Dear Bro

Enclosed please find $30. I sent you $17.65 in coupons nearly two months since. I would be glad to have you forward to me by mail a U.S. 7.30 bond; & the ballance, after deducting my subscription to the Am Mis Assoc & $5. you can send also, in another envelope.

Hoping to hear from you the first of the week I remain

Yrs very truly

J. H. Johnson

A. M. A. A. CHURCH
NO. H1-7207
FISK UNIV.

Coupons		J. H. Johnson	
+ 4.15 sold for	7.59	Cash for bond	49.56
13.50 —	18.90	+ a w c	5.—
Cash	30.—	Rec'd in	1.93
Rec'd	56.49		56.49

1640
19 96/100

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Brattleboro, Vt., Apr. 25 1878

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed I send you

Nineteen & 96/100 Dollars $ 19. 96

in payment of Acct. Dunbar

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

from a friend Dr. Londonderry 5.00 ✓
" Dr. Avery Dr. Brattleboro 14.46 ✓
" " " Brattleboro add. 0
$19.96

1640
$19 96/100
April 25th 1878
C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4202
FISK UNIV.

Estate E. C. Chamberlin 1647

April 27. 1878 500 00/100

Mr. R. Shedd of Newbury. Orange Co. Vermont - Executor of the last Will and testament of Ezra C. Chamberlin late of Peacham Caledonia Co Vermont -

It is requested that Miss Jane E. Chamberlin and Miss Jennie C. Watts be made L. M's

R.D. / ack

M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4209
TEX UNIV.

Rev. Chas. Rockwell 1688

Peru Vermont 10.00 May 1. 1878

May 1st 1878 100

N. W. Hubbard Esq

Dear Sir.

Enclosed are ten Dollars for your Society for which please send your receipt to Deacon O. P. Simonds. It is from the Cong Church in Peru.

Charles Rockwell

Pastor.

A. M. E. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4210
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4211
TULANE UNIV.

1738 Miss J. Graves
2.00/100 Jericho Centre
May 10/98 Vt.

Jericho Centre Vt.
May 10, 1898

Mr. Hubbard,

Dear sir

Enclosed please find $2.00 a small donation towards educating the freedmen,

Yours truly

Miss J. Graves

Clarendon Ala May 13th 1878

✓ R.D. acl.

1747
5 00/100

Mrs N. J. Smith
Clarendon Ala

May 13/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4312
FISK UNIV.

Mr H W Hubbard

Dear sir

Owing to sickness in my family I was not present when the collection was taken for the A M A, in our church and have delayed forwarding my Annual Donation for various reasons until now. please accept at this late hour the $5 Mrs N J Smith

1788
15 80/100

J. B. Rogers
Rochester Vt.
May 21st 1878

AM. ASS. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4213
FISK UNIV.

Rochester Vt. May 21st 1878

E. Ketchum Esq
Treas. Am. Bibl Mes. Ass'n

Dr Sir

Enclosed please find P.O. order for $15.00 payable to order of Edgar Ketchum, as the contribution of the Cong'l Society of this place to your Ass'n. We would be glad to make it much more. Please own receipt of same and much oblige

Yours truly
J. B. Rogers

Mrs. J. G. Smith,
St. Albans.
Vt.

1999

May 21/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO HI-4214
FISK UNIV.

St Albans May 21-78

Treas-Am-Miss Soc

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed check for my subscription to the Society which you represent—

Yours Truly
Mrs. J. Gregory Smith.

1814
39 87/100

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4215
FISK UNIV

New Haven Ct.
Dec 24th 1875
Treasurer A.M.A.
Sir.
Please find enclosed
the sum of $39.87 from the Cong.
Chh. & Society of New Haven Ct
Receipt when soon & oblige
Yours most respectfully
E. H. Nash
Treas of Cong. Chh.
New Haven
Ct.

1814

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F. W. Nash,

New Haven

Vt.

May 24/78

Vt. D.

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1823
13 25/100
May 27/78

J. D. R. Collins
Barton Landing
Vt.

Barton Landing Vt May 27th 1878

Edgar Ketchum Esq

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send you check for thirteen dollars & twenty five cents ($13 25/100) contributed by the Colony Church & Soty of Brownington & Barton Landing to the American Missionary Assn

Yours Truly

J. D. R. Collins Treas

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4216
FISK UNIV.

1820
5 00/100

Chas. Haywood
North Springfield
Vt.

North Springfield Vt. May 28 1878

H. W. Hubbard – Dear Sir.

I herewith send a Check for five dollars for the benefit of the American Missionary association I know it is but a mite compared to the demands of the cause but it is all I know how to spare for that object, and also to meet the other calls. My means are quite limited and I am an old man (83) and feeble and wholly dependent on what little I have for the maintenance of myself and wife – and when we are gone you are to have a share of whatever may be left should any thing remain

Yours &c. Chas. Haywood

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4217
FIS UNIV.

1887
26 20/100

S. H. Bascom
Orwell O.
June 3/74

Orwell O. June [illegible] 74

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-421
FISK UNIV.

H. M. Hubbard Esq.

Dr Sir

Enclosed find Dft for Twenty Six Dollars and ~~twenty~~ ~~twelve~~ cents ($26.20) for C. M. Association w/k from Cong Ch & Society in this place.

S. H. Bascom

Dr. J. V. Moore 1884
Chester, Vt. 100 00/100
June 4/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4219
FISK UNIV.

Chester Vt. June 4th 1878

H W Hubbard Esq

Dear Sir -

Enclosed please fin Check for one hundred dollars to apply on the debt of A M Association

Please do not let my name appear in the acknowledgement of the same neither my residence but print it thus -

("Vermont" a friend $100.00)

And you will oblige - Yours

Respectfully

Dr. J. V. Moore

1939 Chas. H. Lyman
1 00/100 Jericho,
June 7/78 Vt.

ack & entered
Sent June no. 2 nos
June 13/78

Sent July 7/80

Jericho Vermont
June 7th 1878
To Mr. H. W. Hubbard.
I have enclose
one dollar for the
American Missionary
for two years, to be
sent to C. H. Lyman
Jericho, Vermont.

Yours Respectfully

Charles H. Lyman

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4220
FISK UNIV.

1972
8.00/100

W. E. Hayden
Johnsbury
Vt.

adv
AD

American Mission Aid. June 9 1878

The increased check of $8 is for regular contributions received with our "mite offerings" for work among the freedmen.

Yours very truly
W E Hayden Sec
North Cong Church

Johnsbury Vt
June 9 1878

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4221
FISK UNIV.

1916
10 00/100

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4222
FISK UNIV

Jericho Chittenden Co Vt — June 10 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq

Dear Sir

Enclosed find draft for $10.00 as a donation for the American Missionary Association please acknowledge the receipt of same & oblige

Truly Yours

Mrs Lucy Spaulding

1916

$10.00

Mrs. Lucy Spaulding

Jericho

Vt.

June 10/78

Ack'd to G. A. B.

1966
1.00
100

A Richard
Fayetteville Vt

Fayetteville Vt. June 17th 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq
Asst Treas Am. M. Association
N. York City

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4223
FISK UNIV.

Dr Sir

Enclosed please find One dollar ($1) to be applied to the payment of the Am. Missionary Magazine for the year 1878 as follows to wit

Mrs A. E. R. Higgins full year —	50¢
Geo. W. Parsons for half year to be stopped	25¢
M. L. Lowe " " " to be stopped	25¢
	1.00

Mrs Higgins says she has not rec. the two last numbers of the Magazine (sent May June & July to June 10/78) as she is a friend of your Association she wishes to receive it constantly

The other two above named wish to have it stopped Mr Asa Tiddle one of your largest contributors in this place is dead — as I stated in my last —

According to the list furnished me by the Post Master in February last there are about 10 who receive the Magazine & should pay for it, who have not yet done so; and if I can get some one to attend to it I think they will – otherwise the paper ought to be stoped after a while – I regret that I am unable to attend to it myself

Very Truly
Yours

Austin Birchard

1979 Nellie Houghton
6.00/100 Westminster West
Vt
June 20

A.M.A. A.R.C. Archives
NO. HL-4224
FISK UNIV.

Westminster West
Windham Co.
June 20th 1878 Vt.

Mr. Hibbard

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find, for the American Missionary Association, $6.00 from the "Westminster West Mission Band".

Nellie Houghton
Treas.

1999 Miss E. A. Ballou,
Wallingford, Vt.
1 25/100 for freight
June 26/78

Wallingford, Rutland Co. Vermont.
Mr. Ballou: Dear Sir: June 25th 1875.

Dear Friend:
Your letter of the 22nd received & many thanks for the information which it contained. We shall start the boy for Lincoln on Friday next, and I think he will be with you the following week. We shall be very glad to receive him.
Your Friend & Pupil,
Ethel A. Ballou.

P.S. The boy will be sent over the Harlem R. R.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4225
FISK UNIV.

AMASA WOOLSON, President. Capital, $200,000. B. F. ALDRICH, Cashier.

A. Woolson Springfield Vt.

First National Bank.

2032
100 00/100

Springfield, Vt. June 28th 1878

June 28/78
Received on Acct. Gen. A M Assn

A M Assn

Dear Sir
With this
please find enclosed Check for
100 Dolls for the Debt of Gen
Society &c

Yours Truly
A Woolson

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4220
FISK UNIV.

2076 Mrs N. B. Batchelder
2.00 Townshend
July 5/78 Vt

July 5-78

Note
ack

Townshend Vermont
Windham County

Sir
Enclosed
you will find two Dollars
for the American Missionary
Mrs
Nancy B Batchelder

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4227
FISK UNIV.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4223
FISK UNIV.

2086 Mrs Silas Wheeler
1 00/100 West Randolph
Vt
July 6/78

West Randolph Orange Co. Vt. July 6th 78

Dear Sir

You will find enclosed my mite for the American Missionary Association Probably the last you will receive from me My health is such that I cannot earn the money, & I know of no other way that I can get it If you receive no more money by the time that my subscription runs out you must stop the paper

Yours truly. Mrs. Silas Wheeler

I rejoice at the pleasing news that I get from the Missionary. May the blessing of the Lord attend the labors of the Missionary association

2118

17 80/100

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N.A.M.A. ARCHIVE
H1-4224

Brattleboro, Vt., July 12 1878

Mr H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Seventeen & 80/100 Dollars $ 17.80

in payment of Dom. for Ch. West Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

2118

$17 80

C. L. Thompson

Battleboro' Vt.

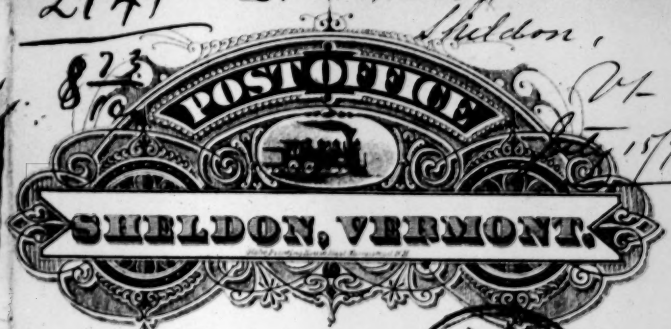
July 12/78

Ans
act

D. D. WEAD,
Post Master.

2141 D. D. Wead Sheldon, Vt. July 15 1878

$8 73/100



M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4230
FISK UNIV.

July 15 1878

✓ 16.

H W Hubbard Esq
Apt Treas

Dear Sir

Enclosed find check Eight & 73/100 dollars Donation from Cong church here To A M A

Yours Truly
D D Wead

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4231
FISK UNIV.

Brattleboro Vt. July 19 1878

Sec. A. M. A. S.

Dear Sir.

I wish to make enquiry about R. W. Pratt. U. S. Indian Agt at Reed Lake Minn. He writes me that his successor has been appointed also that he had forwarded his resignation to you to be used under certain circumstances. and he thought you have turned it in. At the same time he did not know whether his resignation had been accepted. or in fact at that time. did not know whether it had been forwarded to the Department.

Please let me know the particulars — Mr Pratt. is a brother in law of mine. I am also one of his Bondsmen — I have no fear on act of that I know Mr. Pratt to be an honest and faithful man. I only want to know. that I can assist him in some other business.

Yrs &c Wm N Lynde
Brattleboro Vt

Wm. W. Lynde,
Brattleboro, Vt.
July 19, 1878.

Mrs. M. K. Merrill
Peacham
7-27-78 Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4273
FISK UNIV.

Dr. Sheldy: Dear Sir;

I am directed by you for information concerning schools in the south. What vacancies will there be for the coming year? I would like a situation there as assistant. Could not take the whole care of a school. I am a daughter of the late Rev. D. Merrill of Peacham, Vt. and a graduate of Mt. Holyoke Seminary in the class of 1876. Have taught one year since then other duties have kept me from school until the present time. I am a member of the Congregational Church in Peacham. Rev. A. H. Wild, Pastor. Should references

be necessary. I would mention the names of some of my teachers at Holyoke, or that of Rev. W. P. Alcott, my brother-in-law, in whose church at Greenwich, let you have preached, a few years ago.

Please let me know as soon as possible if I may hope for an opportunity to teach in the South.

Please address.

Miss M. K. Merrill
Peacham.
Vt.

July 24. 1878.

2234 Mrs Ammi Follett
Sharon
Vt.
2 00/100
July 31/78

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4237
FISK UNIV.

Sharon Windsor Co
Vermont July 31/78

Mr Hubbard

Enclosed
you will find one dollar
from Sarah J Follett
and one dollar from
myself for the freedmen
Yours respectfully

Mrs Ammi Follett

2244 L. Hutchins
500 50/100 Waterbury
Aug. 4/78

Rec'd & ans

Waterbury Vt Aug 4 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq.
Asst. Treasurer

Dr Sir Enclosed
I hand you check on N York
Bank for $500.00 as a donation
to the American Missy Association
to be appropriated as the
Board of Managers direct

Yours Truly

L. Hutchins

What about this sum?

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4234
FISK UNIV.

Apr. 1872 - $150.00
Feb 1877 - $25

2275 Rev. R. S. Miller,
~~5.00~~ Hartland Vt
5.25

ack

Hartland Vt. Aug 13. 1878

Mr Ketchum,

Dear Sir:-

Please find inclosed five dollars & 25 cts ($5.25), from the Cong. Chh & Soc in Hartland Vt. for the Freedmen's Cause, wishing it were more.

Yours &c

R. S. Miller
Pastor.

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2298 Rev John C. Houghton
12.00 Benson Vt
Rutland Co. Vt.

Benson, Aug 17th 1878

Inclosed find $12.00 contributed by the Cong'l Church, Benson, Vt. to the Am. Miss. Association.

Yours fraternally
John C. Houghton

Treasurer of A.M.A.

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2284
100.00

Mrs E. D. Parks
Springfield Vt

Aug. 15/78

Springfield Vt. Aug 15/78

H. W. Hubbard Esq Assistant Sec
A Missionary Association
New York

Dear Sir

H. D. ack'd

Herewith please find Boston Check for one hundred dollars for my annual Contribution for the Charitable and religious uses of Am Miss Assoc

Yours Truly

Mrs E. D. Parks
per A.S.

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2289 C. B. Swift
St Albans Vt.
$16\frac{88}{100}$

ack.

St Albans Augt. 16. 1878

Aug. 16/78

Mr H. W. Stubbard. Agt Treas.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find draft for $16.\frac{88}{}$ a contribution to the Am. Miss association from the first Congl Ch & So. St Albans Vt.

Yours truly,
Chas B. Swift

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2315 Rev W A Bushee
16 63/100 Brookfield, Vt
Aug. 19 1878

N.A.M.A. ARCH.
NO. HI-4239
FISK U

Brookfield, Vermont.
Aug 19. 1878

H. W. Hubbard Esq.

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find sixteen dollars and sixty three cents $16.63, it being the contribution of the Second Congregational church and society of Brookfield Vt. to the Am. Miss. Association

Yours truly
W. A. Bushee
Pastor

2305 Miss E J Kellogg
10.00 Manchester,
Aug. 19. 1878 Vt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4240
FISK UNIV.

Manchester Aug 19th 1878

Mr H. W. Hubbard

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find ten dollars which I desire you to appropriate in your missionary work as you think best, & may the God of Missions bless its use.

Yours truly

E. J. Kellogg

Manchester.

Bennington Co.

Vermont

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10 00

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Brattleboro, Vt., Aug. 29 1878

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Dr. Sir

Enclosed we send you

Ten $\frac{00}{100}$ Dollars $ 10.

in payment of donation from Rev. A. Stevens W. Westminster

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson Co'y

2356
$10.00

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro
Vt.

Aug. 29. 1878

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5 00/100

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Yes
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Brattleboro, Vt., Sept. 2 1878

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed we send you

Five 00/100 Dollars $ 5.00

in payment of dou. for a friend West Westminster

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

2397

$5.00

G. F. Thompson

Brattleborough

Sept. 2/78

DL

J B Rogers 2437
Rochester Vt 22 28/100
Sept 9/78

Rochester Vt. Sept. 9. 1878

Mr. Wm Cornell

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find P.O. order for $22.28 payable to the order of Edgar Ketchum, as the Treas. of the Cong. Church of this place taken the 3d Sunday of August for aiding your Society to make up the deficiency of the past year — or to aid in preventing any deficiency —

Please acknowledge and much oblige

Yours very truly
J. B. Rogers

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4243
FISK UNIV.

2457
350 00/100

10th

Plainfield Vt Sept 1873

Edgar Ketchum Esq ack

AM. MISS. ASSOC. SEP 14 1873 56 REACE STREET

A. M. A. ARCHIVES HI-4244 FISK UNIV.

Dear Sir

Catherine Shepard willed a small house in Plainfield Vt to the American Missionary Association N Y Which was appraised by Commissioners at three hundred Dollars.
I have Sold the Same for three hundred and fifty Dollars which I forward to you By Check. and Send a Receipt for the Same which Please Sign and return to me at Plainfield Vt. there is other Legacys to be Paid Next Before any thing more can be paid the American Missionary Association. I think there will be a few Dollars more for the Association Some time. But not at Present

Respectfully yours
Willard S Martin
Plainfield Vermont

2457

$350 =

Willard S. Austin
Plainfield
Vt.

Sept 10/78

acks

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4245
FISK UNIV.

$350. Plainfield Vt Sept 10th 1878
Received of Willard S Martin
Administrator of Catherine
Shepards Est with the Will annexed
Three Hundred and fifty Dollars
It being the Proceeds in full of the
Sale of a House in Plainfield Village Vt
Which was Willed by the Said Catherine
Shepard to her Executor or Administrator
in trust; to be Sold and Proceeds
Paid over to the Treasurer of the
American Missionary Association
Within Six Months from her decease

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. III-4246
FISK UNIV

2475 James D. Duncan
25 00/100 Shelburn Vt
Sept. 16th 1878

Shelburn Vt. Sept 16th 78

T. W. Hubbard Esq
Asst. Treas. Am. Mon. Ass.
56 Reade St. New York

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send Draft No. 20721 b from First Nat. Bk. Grand Rapids Mich. on Nat. Park Bk. N.Y. for twenty five Dollars $25. which please apply to the good work of your Association & if you please let it count towards a life membership that I may name when I pay the balance

Please do not mention my name in your printed acknowledgement but just as from a "Friend"

Yours Respectfully Yours D. Duncan

Shelburn, Chittenden Co. Vt.

2512

37 86/100

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NO. HI-4247
FISK UNIV.

Brattleboro, Vt., Sept. 24. 1878.

Mr. H. W. Hubbard

Enclosed I send you

Thirty Seven & 86/100 Dollars $ 37. 86

in payment of Con. from Centre Ch. Brattleboro

please receipt.

Respectfully Yours,

C. F. Thompson

Agt

2512

$37 86

C. F. Thompson
Brattleboro, Vt.
Sept. 24/78

2532 S. S. Nickerson
West Derby Vt.
Sept. 27th 1878

3 23/15

✓ 16.D. ack

A.M.A. AR
NO. HI-4248
FISK

West Derby Vt Sept 27 1878.

Dear Brother – I took up a small collection for the South, and thinking it quite as well to send it through the A.M.A. I enclose it in this sheet –

Please send me your last report of mission work in the South –

Yours as ever
S. S. Nickerson

R. M. Pratt, Esq.
Dummerston, Vt.
Dec. 9, 1878.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4249
FISK UNIV.

Dummerston Vermont
Dec 9 1878

Rev M E Strieby Sec. A.M.A.
56 Reade St. New York

Dear Sir

I am very much disturbed by the reports that are continually coming to me from Red Lake Agency things seem to be getting worse & worse there
I have the same story from several different persons and I have every reason to believe that there can be no mistake
Miss Warren the teacher there says "that 20 years would hardly restore what has been lost since Agt B came here in the way of morals &c &c"
Dr Allen says "Without absolute knowledge of the facts it is generally believed that he (Agt B) is corrupt and licentious" his conduct shows it he offered to get position knowledge he is watched He is known to be out late nearly every night" in another letter he says that "the Indians say that he has been seen with squaws as many as twenty times" also He has been seen to give Daisy Gourelain (a notorious profligate Indian Woman) food &c

when she had no moral claim on him. She has been seen to enter his office in the dark & in a moment to leave and go back of office and he followed her"

I am ashamed and disgusted to even write this stuff and would not soil paper with it did I not feel that something should be done or the Indian service will become a stench to every decent man Every one who has been among a heathen people knows full well that it is necessary to encourage morality by every possible means if you would reclaim and civilize them and such was ever my aim and now to have it all destroyed by the acts and influence of the Agt of the Govt: sent to instruct & care for I cannot find words to express my abhorrence and disgust

What I now want is to bring these things to the notice of the Dept: and if that is not enough to the President that they will remove Agt B. and send at least a decent man

I suppose that your Society still has nominally the charge of Rat Lake I therefore desire that you should know how things are there and that you should use your influence with the Dept: to bring about a change While in W. last month

I brought some of these things to the knowledge of both Comm & Sec of the Interior and they promised to attend to the matter but I have not seen as they have made any change

I will write the Comm today and then bring it again to their notice

The Comm. then seemed satisfied that there should be a change and said he was satisfied that they had made a mistake and desired me to go back probably through the press of business he has forgotten the matter

In regard to my return there I have only to say that if it is deemed for the best I will again try it ever doing to the best of my ability to promote righteousness temperance & civilization

I wish you would do what you can in this matter believing that the cause of Truth & Morality demands it

I have written but a small part of the "filthiness" and bad conduct of Rep B that has come to me from those in whom I have the utmost confidence

Truly your brother in Christ
R. H. Pratt

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4250
FISK UNIV.

Lumberston Vt
Dec 16 1878

Rev M. E. Strieby DD

Dear Brother

Your favor
at hand and contents noted
As to the property left
by the Mission Reclamation
I am not able at this time
to give you list of what still
remains I sold some of
it to Mr Long who con-
tracted to build a church
for the Episcopal mission
there and it has been used
for that purpose I have
written Dr Allen who
had charge of property left
for a list of what remains
sold and a map of what-

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO.
FISK UNIV.

Museums when it is
well from hence will forward
a complete statement — as to
the bell my impression is
that it was sold to the Govt. several
years ago by whom or
to whom I do not know the
much I can say that I accepted
for Bell & from the late
E. P. Smith and always carried
it on my property returns and
I turned the same over to my
successor and took his receipt
for as there was but one
bell then when I went — then I think
it must be that in some way
it became U. S. property the
bell is one that was given by
a Sabbath School in Mass. I
think Ashfield I believe
Mass from the name of the
donor
From what I know

R. M. Pratt,
Dummerston, Vt.
Dec 16, 1878.

of the case I do not think it could be sold as to the price I have no means of knowing what it is worth should think it would weigh 70 or 80 lbs. is a good tonnel it is or was on the school house and is needed for school purposes

Very truly
Yours
R M Pratt

R. M. Pratt,
Dummerston,
Vt.
Dec. 25, 1878.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-425
FISK UNIV.

Dummerston Vermont
Dec 25 1878

Dear Brother

I received a few days ago the copy herewith a statement of mission property sold and what still remained on hand Dec 1 from which you will see that the amount sold foots up $76.12 I have not received the whole amount yet but will send you check for same as soon as it is sent me You will see that the property was not lumber but building materials which were purchased by Rev. F. Ayers in 1874 The property was purchased when it was considerable higher than now but was sold for the best prices possible I do

knew when there will be a chance to sell the hal. but left it with Dr Allen to sell the first opportunity. The organ & suffers was given to Rev T. Spurs at least I so understood Mrs L.

Truly yours

R M Pratt

M E Strieby D D
56 Reade St
New York
N.Y.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4252
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List of Mission property
remaining unsold at Red Lake
Dec 10 1878

326# Building Paper
60# Plaster Paris
7# Umber
5# Walnut Stain
1 10 gal Oil can
1 5 " " "
2 Windows 12x20
2 " 12x20 arch top
50 Ballustral-Pickets
2 Double Doors

Dr Allen writes that
the above is all the property
that he can find unsold

R. A. Pratt

List of Mission property at Red Lake
Missd. sold to Mr. Long for church

74# 20d	Nails	3.69
100 10d	"	4.91
100 6		5.36
100 4		5.61
50 3d		2.74
44#	casing nails	2.50
2	4 pan. Doors 2-8X6-8	5.56
2	Lock & Knobs	1.50
100#	White Lead	11.61
10¼ gal	Raw Oil	9.32
11½#	Plaster Hair	1.72
6	Windows 12X20	15.29
4 Pr	Butt & bolt & screws	1.80
1½ Doz	Sash Bolts	2.25
2½#	Burnt Umber	38
		71.32
Sold	J. Smith 8# Plaster Hair	1.20
"	A. Chabolleyst " "	60
"	let to Beaulieu 2 windows 8X20	3.00
		76.12

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4252A
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A. M. A.
NO. H1-425
FISK UNIV.

Fort Ethan Allen Vt
Aug 15/99.

Rev. M. E. Strieby D.D. etc etc

Dear Brother

I have received from Rev. A. Stevens D.D. a letter explaining that I should write hesitate to take any man Dr. Steven might recommend, I doubt not that you mean here for business purposes a man of your own, that I am not personally acquainted with him. If you think best to follow up the inquiries further please write Dr. S. (of Westminster Mill) or myself in regard to a man seeking employment in Birmingham.

Yours fraternally

Lewis Grout

Chap. U.S.A.

Rev. G. W. Pelman
5-15-80
6-9-80

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4254
FISK UNIV.

Brookfield Vt. May 13. 1880

Rev. Dr. Strieby

Dear Sir

At the suggestion of Rev. Lewis Grout, to whom also he permits me to refer, I write you in reference to temporary work for the A. M. A. at the South. My health has not been good for the past winter. I have trouble Bronchial Catarrh. I have had a cough from Nov. until quite recently, but continued work till Feb. Since till Apr. was confined to the house & considerably to the bed & became quite reduced in flesh & strength. Since then have been gaining steadily & quite rapidly. Cough gone,

& have now nearly my usual flesh, & am feeling as if I might get to work soon. But my Physicians advise me not to try it very much this summer, & to seek some other climate for the winter. Think I may be fully strong by Fall & be able to work by going where it is milder.
And so I have thought of your work. I should want to take my Family with me as I suppose they may live in many places as cheaply as here & the benefits of having a home when one is away from home particularly, are many.
You will I think thus appreciate about my case & thought & if you know or find anything that would seem to meet it I shall be very thankful.

I have written Dr. Roy and send with this, also Rev. W. S. De Forest Talladega with whom I have had a slight acquaintance.

Respectfully Yours
Geo. B. Tolman.

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To Rev. M. E. Strieby D.D. July 6 1881.

56 Reade st NY

Terrible blow probably heart disease
Jewett better take temporary charge

H. M. Ladd

10 paid
B/4

A. M. A. ARCHIVE NO. HI-4255 FICHE UNIT

READ THE NOTICE AT THE TOP.

Rev. H. M. Ladd,
Middlebury, Vt.
July 6, 1887.

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St. Johnsbury, Vt. Feb 1 1887

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4256
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Rev M. E. Strieby D.D.

Dear Sir

I notice by the records of the meeting at Worcester that I was appd. with several others a Coml. on Amendment to the Constitution. My name appearing first on the list it has occurred to me that it was my duty to call a meeting of that Coml.

It is going to be a very hard matter to get all together as the Coml. are so widely scattered. Can you or the Exe. Coml. suggest to me what to do? Was any plan made at that meeting for the Coml. to meet? I was sick and delighted to leave before the meetings closed.

Very truly yr.

[illegible signature]

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
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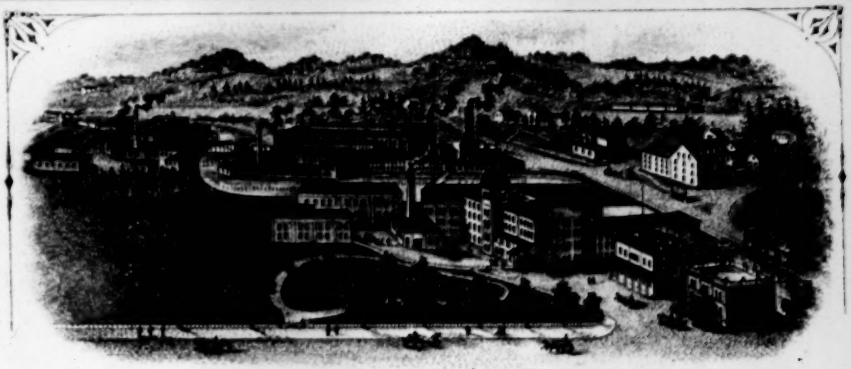

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St. Johnsbury, Vt. May 6 1882.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4257
FISK UNIV.

Rev M. E. Strieby D.D.

Dear Sir

I duly received y. favor of 4th inst.

I have just returned home after an splendid trip thro' the South and West, and find my business so pressing that I cannot now plan to leave. The time appd. or suggested is well enough. I have appointments which will call me away the ~~24th~~ week of the 24th and a meeting is called for cons. on alteration of Constitution, the following week in Boston which I feel I must attend. I hope the Exd. Com. will be represented at that meeting.

I am very sorry I am so far from N.Y. which is really a bar to my meeting with the Exd. Com. and I feel more & more that I ought

not to be a member of the cond. but give place for some one near by who can attend the meetings.

Very truly yr.

Franklin Fairbanks

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
May 6, 1882.

Fairbanks Scale Manufactory

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St. Johnsbury, Vt. May 15. 1882.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4358
FISK UNIV.

Rev M. E. Strieby

Dear Sir

Yours of 9th inst. is rec'd. I did not give up attending the called meeting of Ex. Com. until Friday.

The door is closed against me and I shall not be able to meet with you.

I hope that you or some member of Ex. Com. will be able to meet with us in Boston.

Mr Boynton will notify you of the date of the meeting.

Believing you will have a profitable & pleasant meeting on the 18th. I remain.

Very truly

Franklin Fairbanks

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
May 15, 1882.

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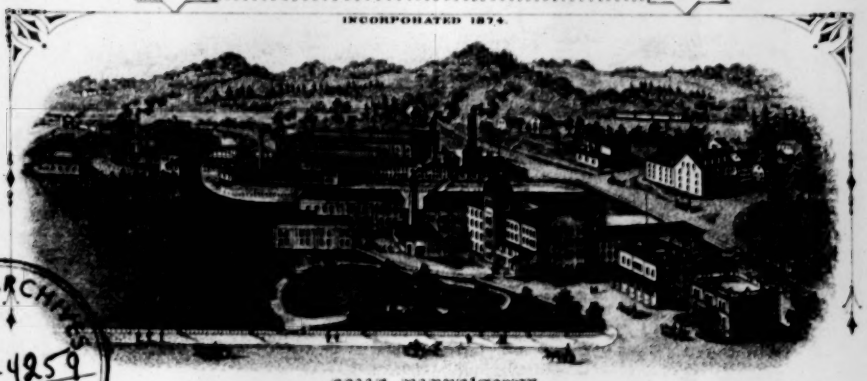

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N.A.M.A. ARCHIVES
NO. H1-4259
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury, Vt. July 10 1882

Rev M. E. Strieby D.D.

Dear Sir:

I duly received yours of 6th inst. giving notice of meeting Exd. Coml. for Friday.

I feel that it is all wrong for me to hold the nominal position on this Committee - for as I am situated - it is impossible to be an active member. I am too far from N.Y. to be of any sort of use to the Committee, and therefore I feel it

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
July 10. 1882.

My duty, to place my resignation in your hands - with the wish that your Board would make choice of some one more who can attend the meetings.

I trust that the "proposed constitution" meets your approbation.

Very truly yours

Franklin Fairbanks

Rest assured my interest in the Association will continue unabated.

PAPER, MESNEL & OTTMANN, LITH. N.Y.

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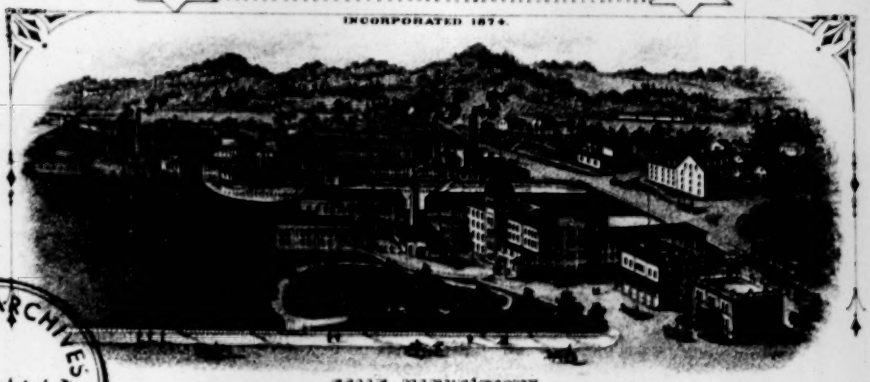

SCALE MANUFACTORY.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4260
FISK UNIV.

St. Johnsbury, Vt. July 13 1882

Rev M. E. Strieby D.D.

My dear Sir

In reply to yours of 11th would say that I do not wish to press the matter of resig= =nation unless it is best. I have stated my reasons for suggesting it and must leave the matter wholly in your hands & that of the Committee. I want to do just what will be the for the best interests of the Association. And I must rely upon you to get the matter right if called in question. I shall like very much

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
July 15, 1882.

to meet with the Com. and should certainly do so if in the City at time of a meeting

Thanking you for the kind expressions in your letter,

I remain

Most truly yours

Franklin Fairbanks

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Rev. Lewis Grant.

West Brattleboro, Vt.
Sept. 26. 1882 ~~Oct.~~ 26, 1882.

F. W. Hubbard, Esq.
Treas. A. M. A.

My Dear Sir —

Not knowing who is editor of the "Am. Missionary", I send him a note on what seems to me a mistake in the last issue of the "Missionary" (Oct.) p. 292, where it says: "The House com., in their report, state that, according to the census of 1880, 4,715,395 persons at the south over 10 years of age, or 76.56 per cent., are not able to write."

Having before me what purports to be figures from the Report of the Senate com. on the same subject, I find the number of persons unable to write to be precisely the same as in the above extract, 4,715,395; but the percentage I find to be 25.45 as given (settled) from the adjoining column. And,

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4261
FISK UNIV.

comparing the above 4,715,395
with what I find given as the entire
pop. of the south (16 ex-slave states) viz:
18,534,308, as I make it, the percentage
is almost identically the same —
instead of 26.5 p.c.
25.44+. Whether the figures given
in the Census tables are amenable to
facts, is, to my mind, a question,
as you may see from remarks
in my article on "A Blessing or a
Blunder", &c. of which I think I
sent you a copy a few days since.

Yours faithfully

Lewis Sims.

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St. Johnsbury, Vt. Oct 10 1882.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4262
FISK UNIV.

Rev M. E. Strieby D.D.

Dear Sir

The International S. S. Lesson committee (of which I am a member, & the only one on it, to represent the Cong.l denomination) holds its annual session, for selecting advance Lessons, on Wed.y Oct 25th in Washington. I feel it to be my duty to attend that meeting, and of course cannot attend the Am. Mis. Ass. meeting at Cleveland, which I had purposed to do. I regret it. I have seen Mr Boynton and asked him to make any explanations necessary upon the report of our Com. for revising the Constitution.

I hope and expect you will have a good & a profitable meeting.

Will the meeting next year be held in last week of October.

The meeting of Lessee Cond. is fixed a year in advance viz. when we are together in Wash: this year, the time & place of next meeting will be determined upon. and I can do something to prevent its falling upon same time of A. M. A. if I know it in advance.

Yours very truly

Franklin Fairbanks

Col. Franklin Fairbanks.
St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Oct. 10, 1882.

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Questions to be submitted.

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Did Mr. Herbert Moore intend that his daughter Hannah Augusta Moore should keep the property in her maiden at his death?

What is the duty of Rev Wm James, Mrs Sarah B. James & Miss Hannah Augusta Moore in regard to the

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money from that property was held by Rev. Mr. James or his wife Mrs. Sarah B. James:

J. Samson Montgomery - Ct.
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Mr.

Mr Tappan — Please find enclosed #3. for the Am. Mid. Association from J. Samson Montgomery Vt.

Yrs. J. Samson

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n.d.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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J. H. Johnson

Bethel Vt Sept 25

W E Whiting

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find check for $37.50 for Am Mis Assn for which please send me a receipt payable without interest to my order. I may, & may not, have to call for $200, in six or eight weeks.

Yrs Truly

J H Johnson

A. M. ARCHIVES
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W. E. Whiting, Dear Sir

Enclosed please find $100. which I would like to have you use for the religious education of the freedmen.

I believe that is the best investment I can make of this amount just received for my horse.

Please send me a draft for one hundred dolls. without interest, upon the treasury of the Am. Mis. Assoc. to be paid to my order at any time within 30 years; but not to be paid unless called for within that time, I dying my life, as I have an insurance Policy for the benefit of my family when I am taken away. I am in hopes by very strict economy to live without it.

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J. H. Johnson

Bethel Vt Aug 20

Please send the draft here payable to my order

Yrs truly

J H J

J Henry Johnson.

I herewith forward check to the amt. of $876½ the amt. of the bill of church property at Red Lake, which is the total amt. rec'd by me

Truly Yours &c

R M Pratt

L.D.S. A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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NO. HI-4269
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Wm. C. Whiting Esq.

Sir.

A parcel of goods for ex slaves or contrabands was sent from here, to your care, for James P. Stone's distribution, Tyler House Virginia. They were sent the second of January, enclosed in two barrels & a half barrel, the latter not quite full as the inclemency of the weather prevented the deliverance of some in season. These bbls were directed as I suppose according to Mr. Stone's orders, & yet we hear nothing from

Miss Lana Walker
Feb 13 1863
Mrs Mc Manchester
Va.
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D.S. Slow
2 - Stop
Manchester
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them, whether anyone ever
read them or not. I was a
novice in such business, so
perhaps may have omitted
some part of the forms etc.
But I wrote to Mr. Stone as
soon as I had received & paid
the freight bill, (which I paid
to N. Y.) I enclosed a list of the
articles in my letter to him.
There were ten bed quilts & comf-
ortable & considerable wearing
apparel which would have helped
keep out the cold for many poor,
these long wintry months.

Can you tell me whether
they ever reached you?
Perhaps they may yet be
lodged at your city depot.
Any information will
be gladly received by

Miss Laura Walker
(In behalf of the community)

Manchester,
Vermont.

About one month
since we sent 120 pairs of
mittens & 40 needlebooks to a
colored regiment, the receipt
of which has been acknowledged.

Mrs. Wm D. Marsh
North Clarendon,
Vt

1757
$6 —

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North Clarendon
Rutland Co. Vt.

W. E. Whiting. Asst Treasurer of the
American Miss' Association

Please find enclosed a gift
for six dollars.
$3.00 is from a friend in
this town who does not wish her
name known. — Therefore please
credit in your "Missionary"
A friend, No Clarendon. Vt.
$1.00 is from myself. I have
rec'd your Paper some time
since I have paid anything
for it.

Very Respectfully
Mrs Wm D Marsh
No Clarendon. Vt.

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n.d.

J. Johnson
Rec'd 4/66

Bethel Ft Dec 4

W. Whiting 13th Grove 18 53
Dear Sir Cin 16 95
29 48

Enclosed please find coupons for $16.95 currency, & $13.50 in gold which I would like to have you sell for the premium. Also an order on the Am H Mis Soc for $62.50 You can give me credit as before, & send me a receipt for $90. as money borrowed by the Am Mis Assoc, to be paid, without interest, to my order, if called for within thirty years. Make it not payable to my heirs or administrator.

You can use the $90 for the conversion of the freedmen, & return the remainder to me by mail & oblige

Yrs fraternally

J H Johnson

182
143
172
181
865
1095

You can retain the ballance & inform me how much it is, as I shall have some more to send you in a few days.

n.d.

J. H. Johnson

Bethel Vt Oct 27

W E Whiting

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find $18. in gold coupons, which I would like to have you sell for the premium, & send me a receipt for the amount payable to my order.

Yrs truly

J H Johnson

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$18

$25.00 [illegible]

E. M. Boardman

Burlington Vt July 16th

W. E. Whiting

Dear Sir.

I regret that I am obliged to ask if you can make it convenient to send the Fifty dollars which is due me. If I had not been disappointed about money in other directions should not need to ask you for it.

Respectfully Yours
E. M. Boardman
Burlington
Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
No. 141-4275
FISK UNIV.

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NO. HI-4273
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The idea of Wm. James sitting there and saying that I am a liar, & malicious & trying to ruin him!

Why! it seemed as if he was talking of some one else - As if he was some-one else - Certainly he is another than the man I once supposed him - And Sarah, whom I have rocked in my arms, and loved so much - In the middle of the night it starts me wide awake, & I wonder if it can be real - That they have joined heart & hand in such a cruel ob-

bey, and would rather destroy my reputation for truth & honor than to be convinced of the truth - But I do know that is is not of Sarah's own doings - She is not selfish; and would be just if under right influences - But she is not keen, nor very quick; and she is obstinate, and not always kind; and has a loyalty to her mother greater than to God - It is a dreadful thing to ~~come to~~ defend and sustain a friend in doing wrong - or knowingly to wink at & cover any wrong -

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. There must be our religious life and teachings a superficialness, a sentimentalism, a lack of moral fibre, a want of clear apprehension of spiritual truth, of eternal verities and retributions, a failure in early, positive, ethical training, in thorough Church discipline and nurture, to permit these multiplied cases of moral delinquency to grow up in the shadow of the Sanctuary to such remarkable proportions. It is quite necessary that John the forerunner should precede the voice of the evangelist in our Churches, preaching repentance and the confession of sin in order to escape the wrath to come. The hour has certainly come when "the axe should be laid at the root of the trees," and fruits meet for repentance should be expected of all that profess to be the disciples of Christ.

We have no idea that the cause of pure and undefiled religion suffers by such revelations. It gains by them. The fearful electric tempests clear the air. The very horror excited by them, in the social world as well as in the Church, is significant. Men know such things are not the fruits of Christianity, but the painful results of the absence of it. It is only the genuine that can endure a counterfeit. The Church is lightened of a great burden when such ~~open~~ sin is exposed. Israel could not conquer while the golden wedge was covered, but when the guilty Achan was exposed and punished, then the hosts of Israel triumphed. We have constantly affirmed in these columns that it was not a revival simply, but a reformation, that the American Church now needs.

Frank had no reasonable cause for thinking
my motive (from anything I had ever done -
was to injure him - The most
he had grounds for was that I meant to
try in all ways to find help about him
to make him to understand what his wife - or her through
her influence was doing. I was careful to ex-
cuse him, & to request that no harshness might
be used with him, as he was in no position to
understand the truth - And I requested that
my letter might be saved to speak for its-
self, if misrepresented - For that I ~~should~~ ought to be
misrepresented by that part of the family seems
always true -

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. 71-4276
MISS. UNIV.

This is to be returned, & is in confidence - It is a specimen of the cheer that often comes to me, hide where I may, seeking for peace - & a cheap shelter - & thankful am I when, by any pinching & labor, I can change the tone of his letters - as God helps me to do - hitherto; but my power is failing.

It is from him, the poor boy my mother left to my care when I was 13 years old; & I could not save him - He would feel terribly to know his name, or anything concerning him had been brought into notice, & I did not mean it should; but Rev. Wm James wrote to a minister who undertook to reason with him, that I feared this bitter indignation; & that it did let him - or or - You've read all that - You can judge of the likelihood of this brother siding against me, whether I were right or wrong - he came to me in almost murderous rage at

2) what Mr. James had written to him - He was not himself & it was all I could do to calm him - He declared he'd "wash out in blood the last insult to" me - He never would do that, if in his right mind - But God only can half understand the distresses of my position - nor have much wisdom & grace I need - & I'm a poor, nervous (sometimes half-distracted) creature myself - I begged to have this letter given to me; but Pa did not like to do that - I foresaw how it would be with him - Pa was away a great deal - & he never seemed to know how or what to do - with the boys, I mean - Alas, for me! I was a prophet, but none would believe - Poor Jerome, I always loved to read & cry over his writings, feeling my own fate so much like his -

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Poultney, Vt.
Saturday Night. A hurricane in progress.

Rev. George Whipple.

My Dear Sir,

Another letter so soon rather scared me - so I made sure (as is my habit before opening letters) of one more meal; and I prayed to God, "If it is a stab, sustain me; & if it is cheer, make me grateful." As it was neither, I laughed.

My dear Sir, do you not remember the printed slip told that lines a deed to me - My father made no will - I have the deed of the first tract - the one last for taxes - And can at any time - well, I suppose Mr. Lee, 20 Ferry Street, who bought my land, will lend me the deed - He will certainly show it to any one; and gladly, as he thinks I have been terribly treated; & he said he wanted to aid

me - He said my father's family had no shadow of right to my land or the money - as, besides deeding it to me, and telling his cousins Mr & Mrs. Nichols it was for me, only & solely, he had (I dont understand how) left it so that I could not, without their consent, sell it - They are very sorry now they allowed me to have control of it - They have written all the facts to my step mother, & Mrs. James broke open & read the letter - Mr. James also had a copy of the letter, & probably read the letter from Mr. Nichols itself - I have a copy of said letter - Judge Moore says he does not doubt the step party knew well, when they insisted on having my land, that Pa meant it for me, as well as deeded it to me - So, I think, Mrs. Belcher concluded, after seeing Mr. & Mrs James. Oh! me - I am almost too tired - Expect to be in Brooklyn Tuesday -

Yours very truly Augusta Moore.

Mr. James to Rev. Mr. Talbey he made no written statement. Does he think it likely that one who [illegible] a whole volume from memory would be unable to repeat such [illegible] after having said? Does he?

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Saturday Night.

Rev. Dr. Whipple.

Please remember, and impress on Mr. & Mrs. James that the matter is very simple - The only questions are Did my father intend me to keep the property legally mine at his death? and What is now the part of honor between the James and me in regard to that property?

These are the only questions - We must submit them absolutely and sign the papers in good faith.

Yrs truly A. Moore.

P. S. Rev. Mr. Stone, & Mrs D. M.

Stone tells me told her Friday she left
that I am "crazy". Mr. James wants to
pay her the money; but she will not
take it. "he says
Let him put the money
into yours hands & try me. You
see he has a story suited for each
hearer. It will, probably, be more to
my pecuniary interest, since Mr. James
has put me to so much trouble, and ex-
pence that I must make good if I re-
cover my money, to follow out the
plan made for me by my friends
than to treat further with him; but for
Sarah's sake I will arbitrate, if they
send me papers to sign submitting
wholly and only the two quest-
ions "What did our father intend?
What is our moral obligation?
Yours S. M.

Did I send you this sketch?

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The Family Conspiracy

She's the lone one & the weak one;
So shove her to the wall.
Freely she shared her portion
Now take away her all.
She was forever giving;
But she did desire to keep
This portion from her father;
But we laid our plans too deep.
We took her by the conscience;
Knowing that she could not bear;
We pressed upon her closely,
And drove her to despair.
Now legal right is with us;
Ah moral right we jeer.
Courage! we'll help each other.
We will not think nor fear.
She's only one poor woman;
And none, in church or state
Will listen to her story,
Or look into her fate;

And we are all determined
So make the right seem wrong -
She shall not have her portion -
We are many, and are strong.

The Law would be against her
So we did her "Go to Law" -
We've her own cash to fight her,
And fill its hungry maw
We know we should defeat her;
And we will tell you why -
Because for all the cash on earth
She'd never tell a lie.
If she would lie a little
And say she "didnt know"
Her father gave the portion
Which we extracted so -
Why that would change the story,
And give her legal chance.
But the "crazy" woman wouldnt lie
For all from here to France.
She always was a victim
She always was a sheep,
And the jolly wolves may eat her,
And their religion keep.

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We have our homes, our mother -
She has been homeless long -
How dares that lone old sister
To say we do her wrong?
'Tis only what she's used to,
And has been all her days -
We're sure she must be crazy
To criticise our ways.
She may cry & cry against us
Till all her wasted health
We'll clutch and hold her money
With the very grip of death -

She never was our equal
So we drove her to the wall
We're hand in hand against her
Our minister and all . . .

Oh! the Mills of God grind
Slowly,
But they grind exceeding small
Not the lone ones, nor the weak ones
Nor the crowded to the wall . .
crude; but capable of being inspired.

I dont think this represents Sarah's voluntary failing.
She was one of the most honest truthful girls I ever knew - & was very unselfish, and kind hearted though obtuse & obstinate.

THE STORY CORRECTLY OUTLINED.

The Rev. William James, of Woodhaven, my step-brother-in-law, has acted, and *is* acting, towards me in a way that is unworthy of a minister, a Christian, or a gentleman.

He is withholding money, intended by my father for me; but which was wrung from me, in my ignorance that I could *prove* my moral right to it (the *legal* right I had), by representations made to me that I should be considered dishonest in keeping it.

Rather than *seem* to my father's children that *basest of all villains, whether in the pulpit or out,* one who takes a legal advantage against a moral right, I gave up for distribution my twenty-five hundred dollars, except a sixth of two-thirds thereof.

I did it with very great unwillingness and pain; so much so that I fell sick of grief on my escape to my mountains, whence I had been called to be stripped of my last hope of a home on earth. But when I consented to resign my money, I did it as cheerfully and pleasantly as I could, in hopes to inspire my step-mother and her children with the same kind and generous spirit.

I had hope that Mrs. James, at least, would protest against the injustice done me, and insist that part of my money should be restored. And when, soon after I had given it up, ample proof was furnished that all I had told to my step-mother and her family in regard to the special provision my father had made for me (the only daughter of his first wife—his only old and homeless daughter, to whom he had not been able to afford a home in his own house), was no "falsehood," and no "imagination" of mine, I *did not doubt* that Mrs. James would at once insist that my money should be restored.

She read Mrs. Nichols' letter, which states that my father, Mr. Herbert T. Moore, of Brooklyn, deeded to me, and told her and her husband it was for *my sole use and benefit.* The land for which my money was paid to me by Mr. Lee, 20 Ferry street, New York, Mrs. Nichols bought said land at tax sale *for me,* as she told my father; and he telling her it *was* for me, left it in her power and care. He told her he felt it a *debt* he owed me for what I had done for his other children; and he told others, who are ready to testify, that the property was also to make some amends for all he had not been able to do for *me,* which he *had* done for the second family.

Mrs. James said, on reading the Nichols letter: "If I *believed* this, I would return the money I have;" and soon after she sent two hundred of it by Rev. Wm. James, who told me that his wife was very severely blamed for being willing to do right. I needed the money sadly; but I said: "I intended to give Sarah (Mrs. James) and her twin, Willie, a couple of hundred; and now, if she sees and owns the truth, and will try to convince the others of it, I will give her this freely. Take it back and tell her she shall not be the only sufferer for being the only *just* one." But she wrote—*not kindly*—she would not accept a present from me; and that on January 1st, 1874, she should pay all, principal and interest. I replied, "As you refuse a gift from me, I do not renew my offer, and shall take the money when you pay it. January 1, 1874, she wrote she would pay it on the 1st of April. It did not come; but a letter from Rev. Wm. James came saying, "She shall never pay it till she thinks her father gave it to you, while I am her husband." I quote the substance, and have his letter waiting an examination. He also wrote that he had *no time* for any further correspondence on the subject.

I had tried earnestly, through Mrs. James, to have her mother submit the matter to arbitration. I offered that she (my step-mother) might choose her own brothers; but she would not risk it. I wrote through Mrs. James, and on postals, because these were the only ways in which I could get word to my step-mother and her other children. They would pay no attention to my letters; returned one unopened. They called my plain statements of facts abuse. I never intended any abuse to any of them. To "abuse" the most evil is not according to the tenor of my life.

Mr. James wrote that as soon as his wife was convinced that our father intended my property for me, she would at once re-

from anyone else, on this subject
tremely delicate because it was a
breath urging me, "Go to *law*, i
would be so much more private, as
Mr. Everts.

I sent him a card, saying, "Dost
I am the wrong one, prove it to me
as you will allow; but it is not righ
you in quiet possession of money,
I can never do that."

I went to Woodhaven, and, whet
some other, I *did* see him "before
man of the Examining Committee
he would not look at the papers, "
so," he said to Mr. Eldert; "she se
week." "Show it," I said. "You
all I wrote, and to show, but not
cards." "I wouldn't keep such st
said he. "Here is the *copy*, Mr. E
it, so I read it to him. Neither of
it. I have it all, subject to judg
this case, Mr. Eldert?" "No."
of the whole committee, to take th
thority for that?" "Yes." Then
letters of Mr. James, and some of
Key, who said, "If Mr. James star
himself cannot save him." And
did reply to him, though he had
none who wrote in my behalf. I
was as follows: "Her own brother
she is pursuing. She was indigna
brother of her actions, and seems
count of her doings kept from him
"Ah!" I *was* "very anxious" to
all account, not of *my* doings, but
to me by Mr. James and his Bow
which await examination. And M
knew perfectly that he was false a
and cruel as the grave, and too bas
he then planned. "Augusta may
she may have to show by her brot
him with it?" I said, seeing the
reverend man, who had once calle
which I have received from that
written after Mr. James had comp
have his church take up the matte
"I both wrote and said to Wm
meant the money for which you
seems singular to me that a person
remain in doubt of the justice of y
believe that he and Sarah are but
believe your sole motive for wishing
troversy was for our peace of mind
God, I took this brother with m
warned not to trust my papers out
Rev. Mr. James came down from
which he had, he wrote me, "set
not look so much like "a flint," th
selfish and not improving man's fa
to look over some of the letters of
my right to my own. But "a ma
etc.," he did not take in the truth.
he had set for me, and he was for
While he had been utterly refusin
Rev. Mr. Halliday (who reported
and to the Examining Committee
presence, and who has sent me a l
more to do with Rev. Wm. James
them to behave as Christians shou
ing Committee: "I am satisfied th
He said he was trying to induce m
this to Mr. Halliday in October,—

subject." And he made, as if ex-
as a family matter," in the same
law, if you want justice." *Law*
ite, as all must know. *Ah!* as says

"Dost thou well to be angry? If
to me. I will be as easy with you
ot right, nor *reason* for me to leave
oney, mine by every moral right.

, whether by "human power," or
efore a witness," Mr. Eldort, chair-
nittee of Mr. James' Church. But
ers, "Because she has abused me
she sent me an abusive card last
"You know I've asked you to keep
t not characterize, my letters and
ch stuff; I tore them to atoms,"
Mr. Eldert." He would not take
her of them could say a word against
judgment. "Will you look into
No." "Do you decline, on behalf
ake the matter up? Have you au-
Then I came away. I showed the
me of my papers, to Rev. Mr. Mc-
es stands to this position, the Lord
And he wrote to Mr. James, who
had declared he would reply to
f. I have the letter, a part of which
rothers severely denounce the course
dignant to know that I had told her
eems very anxious to have an ac-
n him."
us" to have kept from that brother
s, but of the letters and cards sent
s Bowman brother and sister, all
And Mr. James knew perfectly *why;*
false as false can be in what he said,
oo base for the name of man in what
may send any additional proof that
r brother ——s." "Can I trouble
the deep guile and craft of that
called himself my friend. A letter
that brother runs thus. It was
complained to him that I wanted to
matter:
Wm. James that I believed Pa
you ask, for you absolutely. It
person can look at the evidence and
ce of your claim. Yet I hope and
e but mistaken, etc., etc." Also, "I
ishing me and — kept out of the con-
f mind." Now, guided, as I felt, by
ith me to Woodhaven, for I was
ers out of my own sight. The the
n from his stern determination, to
"set his face like a flint" (it does
nt," that face, as it does like a very
an's face), and whiningly consented
ters of the six or eight witnesses to
"a man convinced against his will,
truth. However, he was in the trap
was forced to consent to arbitration.
refusing every examination, he told
orted it to the Board of Deacons,
mittee of Plymouth Church, in my
me a letter saying he will have no
James and party, except to exhort
s should. He said to the Examin-
fied that Mr. James had done wrong."
uce me to have arbitration. He told
ober,—the dates of his letters which

Tenth Avenue Church, before the session of which they were summoned, that they all had tried to have arbitration with me. So Elder Edwin Ide and Elder Bryant both told me. I told Mr. Ide it was of no use to hear first one side and then the other, unless he knew which to believe. "What you want," I said, "is to examine the papers and see for yourself." "O, no," said he, quickly, "I don't want to look at any papers." That was the truth; but is it right. Is it "searching out" the just cause, and "doing justice and judgment?" I did not mean to ask help from Plymouth Church, for I did not suppose it would take any action. I did not approve of its course in regard to the other churches. I am sure that it is the right and the duty of every real Church of Christ to exert moral influence in every just way upon every other church. Any church that stands akimbo against other churches who feel aggrieved, is certainly so far anti-christian. Nobody has any right to say, "I will not be examined," if his brethren feel offended. The more innocent he is—man or church—the more ready he should be to "come to the light.

My love for, my faith in H. W. Beecher, my dear pastor, I am not afraid to measure with those of anybody. For that very reason I wanted to see him spring to the help of Mr. West. That would have done more for Mr. Beecher than Mr. Everts can do.

But to return. A letter from Plymouth Church, as I supposed it was, was unexpectedly sent to me, recommending me to the temporary communion of the Woodhaven Church. This had reached me in the autumn; but as Mr. James had written to a friend, whose letter I have, that he had "prepared" his church, and I'd "be liable to be insulted" if I came, I thought best not to go, unless some of our deacons, or a committee went with me. And the letter, which turned out to be only from the Clerk of Plymouth Church, encouraged me to hope our church might do its duty by me, a wronged and distressed member.

So I laid my case before the Board of Deacons and the Examining Committee. They all spoke kindly; said they did not doubt my representations; said I had their sympathy, and Rev. Dr. Beecher said: "It is perfectly competent for this church to appoint a committee of conference, and to request the Woodhaven church to do the same, to examine and report on this case. Indeed, it will not do not to act upon it. Here is a member of our church, and the pastor of a sister church, between whom is such a state of things. It is competent for our church to act." But somebody won him over to non-action. The officers said they would do, individually, all they could. I suppose they may be doing that all the time; if it has a good result, I shall be as much astonished as rejoiced. I do not feel that I have any special claim on the services of my church brothers, as individuals, but as officres of a Church of Jesus Christ our Lord—or he is not our Savior—I do have a claim, given by God himself. And when they decline to do it to "the least," they decline to do it to Him. These things should be more earnestly considered; it is high time.

The next thing that reached my ears was that Mr. James was working busily to prevent my having any hearing before the Association. He was representing the case as one of "persecution," and me as half crazed (perhaps I am—certainly I have had enough from him and his party to make me so), long a trouble to my family, and not knowing what I wanted. Do I not? I want him to see the truth, and to act like a man. Facts and arguments seem to have no weight with him. He will read letters like the following, and I have plenty of them now; could I have had but one "in season," all this trouble had been spared me. "February 2, 1875.—Your father said to me, the reasons your father gave me for deeding to you the Trout Creek land, was that you had not been provided for as the rest of his family had, and that you had supported yourself and helped the rest. You will find, I think, the facts known to many living on the Lehigh." And Mr. B. Hinds, Standsburg, Pa., goes right on, saying, "If I believed your father intended it for you, you should have it, principal and interest." Yet he came before the arbitrators and declared he would not give it

[illegible] principal and interest? The proof that your father never meant that property for you is as strong as any you can show." "As strong." This is the *most* that any of them can say; and even this is untrue. But were it *true*, should they make *me*, the homeless and alone one—the one without human dependence, or good health—bear all the doubt. Even were the proof *equal*, they should restore me half. But the *strongest* proof they have is that our father put other property in other hands with the understanding, as they own in writing, that it was but as a trust; and that he was about to sell or exchange mine when he died. But this was with, my consent, and with his repeated promise that it should not be to my loss, as I can show whenever I am, by honest ministers, allowed the opportunity.

My father several times attempted todispose of my land, with, my consent, as he could not otherwise act. He told me he did not intend to let even *me* know anything about the provision he kept constantly made for me, until after his death; but, as he had a chance to trade it for more than the sum he intended for me, he was obliged to tell me. He forbade me to mention it to his other family. He did not dispose of it then, and afterwards he replaced it by the Trout Creek lot, as several men knew, and wonld gladly testify.

The arguments and representations of the Rev. Mr. James and his branch of the family had force enough with me, in absence of any one to sustain my story, to get away my money, all but $270 odd. My confidence in my *right* to make myself appear to be taking legal advantage was shaken, and they got my legal right away. Are they honest to keep money so obtained, now that seven ear and eye witnesses declare I told them, only the truth?

My step-mother must remember that it was for her brother's sake my father's estate was ruined; and if she has not all she wants, it is no reason why she should keep my money. She has her daughters and their good homes, which they own.

Two of her children have assailed me, through the post-office, on postal cards (of which they had no need, since I attended properly to all their letters), as a "liar," a "black-mailer," because I only request back my own. And my step-mother and the Rev. William James excuse, if they do not justify this *criminal* conduct.

In the letter in which Mr. James denied me *justice*, he offered me *charity*. He declined further argument upon the subject of my money; said he had no time to answer my letters about *that*. I offered to pay his fare to Gouldsborough, Penn., where the people know, and knew for more than twenty years, that my father had made special provision for me, and why he did it. "The Hannah Augusta Moore tract" was the name my land went by there. He made no answer. The reverend gentleman would not *enjoy* a visit to Gouldsboro, while he remains determined to keep my money.

In September, 1874, I wrote to him that I was ready to go before his church, or before mine, just as he rather, to have the trouble between us examined, and that as he claimed to be as conscientious as I am about it, he need fear no great trouble. I have an exact copy of my letter, subject to examination.

Then he wrote, "No human power shall make me see you for three minutes before a single witness; nor will I, before any witness, look at a single paper. I consider you now my worst enemy. If my church should think your complaint worth examining, I would resign my charge in twenty-four hours. But they will treat it with the same contempt that Mr. Beecher's church treated charges against him. You can come. I have said nothing to anyone of my church, etc." He also wrote, "I will not read nor answer another letter from you; nor a letter

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Samuel Belcher, 13 North Oxford of Plymouth Church Board of Dea- Jefferson Fire Insurance Company, y, was my arbitrator. Rev. Dr. H. elist, offered his services, and glad t of them; but we had agreed to t of the case. God directed in this rch now has heard from her own of that attempt, on my part, at arbi; for as Mr. Belcher well said, after es performers for one evening, "You arbitration." Said he, "They are ean to submit to, and if you sign no case left."

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wrote to Mr. Halliday—I have her n herself and me only; as, indeed, I, e papers show; and yet her mother er Bowman, told the elders of the up; unless I could prove seven other things, beyond a doubt. And in my hand I held, then, four of his letters, written since September, 1874, to as many persons, declaring he would restore my money if Pa meant it for me. Ministerial honor and honesty!!

Association met. Rev. Mr. McFarland presented my charge, with a letter from the Rev. Wm. James, just at hand, instead of the Rev. gentleman himself. A committee went out; considered "how not to do it;" returned and reported "a property question, suitable for the churches or the Courts, but not for Association"—when I had told them my legal right was lost. When the motion to lay it on the table was made, it was promptly seconded by Rev. Wm. McKay—of all things! I had heard that he and Mr. James had been consulting. But I do not understand yet why he was so eager to choke me off from what Rev. Mr. McFarland said, I thought might be my last appeal for justice. Men are past finding out.

However, time is not all passed away, and those who are right can afford to be patient. When I heard that report, I spoke in meeting. I said, "I made a distinct charge of falsehood and dishonorable dealing on the part of a minister of this Association, which I thought was a moral question." Now, if Association wants to cover such conduct as that of Rev. Mr. James, and to keep such men in its ranks, why, I suppose no one can help it. But it shall not continue to say it acts ignorantly. Rev. Mr. Stone, one of that committee, subsequently reported, but not to me, Rev. Mr. James as wanting to settle. He does not so inform me.

If minister or layman "is morally and logically honest, it matters little how sceptical he may be. If there is logical honesty at the bottom of a man's mind, the fabric of evidence will at last rise through the mire of doubt. But if there is no logic, no conscience, but only an unfathomed abyss of prejudice, crookedness and unbelief, it is useless to sink foundation stones of evidence into such a quagmire. The man needs not argument to convince his head; but the grace of God to renew his heart, to purge out his hypocrisy, etc."

I have letters from both my brothers, showing how Mr. James has misrepresented them; and have papers and letters to prove, I think, every statement that I have made. This is but a mere sketch, hardly touching on some causes of complaint against Mr. James. He knows as well as I do, or even better, how unjustly my father's estate was settled; and he worried over it—for his wife's sake—he wrote, not a little, as I have his letters to show, and his written permission to use them all. I shall use some, but not such as would do him most harm. I shall use such as will contradict his later representations in regard to the property, and who had control of it. "settled" it, settled it too deep for sight or soundings.

"Thou shalt not suffer sin upon thy brother," is as good a command as any other, and as binding. "It is the right, given of God, of the weak to have help from the strong; of the unwise to have help from the wise," says one whose name I have forgotten. No Christian will deny this. I, weak and unwise, without legal redress, but with a cause that is just before God, appeal to all who are strong and wise. All I ask is fair and full examination, without obstruction or hindrance, and a just judgment by some competent church tribunal. Upon this I must insist.

AUGUSTA MOORE.

Sometimes I seem to have more than my share of distresses - unbelieving relatives are on the watch - At first I was so sure that evangelical religion had counts that would at least hear me, & tell my spirit what he ought to do - But long since these relatives began to say, "Well, are you getting your eyes opened?" And now they are disgusted that I cling to a hope of finding anybody anywhere there who will

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B. F. Haswell
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Mr Whiting

Dear sir

please find enclosed fifty cents to pay the postage on the American Missionary

Yours with respect

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To The Committee for Investigation.

NO. H1-4285 UNIV.

Dear Sirs,

Rev. Wm James has acted dishonorably in regard to property left by my father for my sole use and benefit; and which was obtained from me, in my ignorance of my ability to prove my moral right to it, by charges that I was mistaken, dishonest and unfitting in keeping it.

1. He absolutely forbade his wife, who was willing, and had promised to restore the part of my money which she held, to do so. This his letters show.
2. He represented that my efforts to recover my rights were persecution of him. See letter of Rev. Dr. Coe - Feb 18" 1874.
3. He managed to draw into the controversy, for a purpose of his own (which thank God! failed) my brother, whose unfortunate temperament he too well understands, and what effect distress or excitement are apt to have upon him. This, I think, will appear.
4. He professed that his determination not to see me, nor to examine a single paper before any witness, was because of his desire to cover family matters; and then, when I had cut up my letters, to avoid, as far as possible "family matters", except those directly concerning myself and my right to my money, he brought his wife before the arbitrators with papers that required the uncovering of the very things he had claimed a desire to hide.

This, his letters, and the arbitration papers will show.

5 The Rev. Wm James has told wilful falsehoods regarding the matter in dispute.

1. He told Rev. Mr. Halliday, while utterly denying me all and every hearing before any witness, that he was trying to have me, or

or wanted to have me agree to arbitration - This seemed to be for the purpose of preventing Ply. Church from appointing a committee of conference, as he afterward made sport of my failure to obtain Church act. This Mr. Halliday told to Plymouth Church Board of deacons, in my presence; and they can all testify to it.

2" He has told that I have abused him, when I have never done so - I cannot prove a negative, but if I have abused him let him show it, and I know I shall be sorry.

3. He told - as his letters show - that my brother George, of Kansas, did not believe that I had any right to my property. George's letters will show the untruthfulness of this.

4. He has told - as his letters show - that it was because I feared being "severely denounced" by my brother Julius, that I sought to keep him out of my trouble, or the knowledge of it.
How this was, the letter of Julius (who would stand for me, right or wrong, I am sorry to say, against all the world) will show.

5" He has said that he had nothing to do with this matter, that his wife might do as she pleased; when, when she pleased to restore the money, he declared to her, to me, to others that while he was her husband she never should restore it unless feeling sure Pa meant it for me; and that neither he nor she wanted to look at any of the proofs that such was the case - yes, from the very first of the controversy, I told them it was, pleading, arguing, insisting that they should believe me, and asking them to save my letters -
Mr. James' letters show what he had to do with keeping

me out of my money. - -

6 The Rev. Wm James has systematically prevented all fair investigation of this matter

1. By refusing to see me before any witness.,

2" By seeking, through his wife, to bind arbitrators to conditions which were not proper nor fair,

3" By insisting that I should sign papers promising to yeild forever my claim if the arbitrators could not decide without doubt, on eight points which were raised;

4" By representing, or causing to be represented that it was an affair too involved and difficult for any one to settle; and by other "devices", where of ye gentlemen, are, I believe, to some extent witnesses.

Yours Respectfully

Augusta Moore.

To the Committee.

Mrs A. Moore
To the Committee
without date,

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Willard King
Lunenburgh
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Mr W. E. Whiting

Dear Sir

Inclosed is $100,00 to your order as assistant Treasurer for American Missionary Association

Lunenburg Essex County Vermont

December 3d - 1875

Very Respectfully Yours

Willard King

May the blessing of God rest upon that noble Institution

Rev Lewis Grout
West Brattleboro Vt.

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Dear Sir –

I send you one dollar ($1.00) from Congl ch. & soc. in Clarendon, Vt., to be added to the $39.70 sent to you yesterday from same place; for all which please make Mrs. Laura C. Herrick of Clarendon, Vt. a Life member.

Hope my Report (of yesterday) has been duly received.

Yours truly
Lewis Grout
agent a. m. a.

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Please find enclosed two dollars fifty cents, avails of a bed quilt, prepared for the Freedmen which I had not opportunity to send. I have been waiting to know how to direct - your notices of removal, have no name, so I hesitate it safe to send to your room.

Yours Resp
Juliette Kent

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J. N. Moore, M.D.
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Wm E Whiting Esq

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find my "Mite" "2000 P.O. Order for an Missionary association to appropriate as they may think best and may God add his blessing —

Truly Yours

J. N. Moore

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Harriet M. Stone
Scranton 2899
Vt. $1

Mr Wm. E. Whiting

Sir

Please find enclosed one dollar for your Society

There are three numbers of the American Missionary comes into our family now, one directed to H. Stone, one Harriet M. Stone the other to F. F. Blackman. Mr Blackman has moved away. We do not need but one paper.

Harriet M. Stone

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Mr Whiting enclosed find
five dollars for freedmen
yours
A Friend

A Friend
Powell Ct.
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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Mr. William E. Whiting treasurer of the American M.A.
Sir I send enclosed a draft of twenty five dollars
for the benefit of the freed men where it is most needed

East Poultney Vermont

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Miss Susan Rinney
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$25.00
Cash.

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Northfield Vt. $0.25

Mr.

In complying with the conditions of the american missionary I ~~enclose~~ enclose $0.25 Catharine Shepard.

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Mrs. S. A. Finchfield
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$225

Milton, Chittenden Co.
Vt

Mr. William E. Whiting
Dear Sir
Enclosed find five dollars for the benefit of the Freedmen.
Also, twenty five cents please hand to the publishers of the "American Missionary" to continue the same to me
Respectfully
Sarah A. Finchfield

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A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Rutland Vt Apl 6th 64

Dear Sir

I had just finished my Report & mailed it, when I received the enclosed $3.05 from Mr Moon of Wallingford. I have it added to the Wallingford collection.

I have just had an interview with Mr Hoover, of whom I told you sometime ago that, he had agreed to take up a collection & would put the A. M. A. on his list for annual collections — the days he has concluded to put it off until after the Yearly Meeting, when they must

take some action, on the freedmen question, or ~~where~~ into what channel they will turn their left
I believe he is all right
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Please send him immediately the May No of the
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tion Intelligence had
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see it.
Count ½ dozen Mag & Jap
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two days before post
next week —

Truly yours

E Brooks

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I herewith inclose one
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Charles Powers
Forest dale
Jan. 472
$1—

Mr H. Ripple

please send one paper the American Missionary to Forestdale Rutland Co Vt

Enclosed $1 V.Q.

Charles Powers

Mrs. Strong, was taken under the care of the Board, soon after she went there.

Strong preaches to a white congregation. A collection is taken up.

All but Mulcomt
& ~~Mrs Whitcomb~~
Mrs. Merrifield, are
under pay of the board.
The S. S. needs modelling.

Rev. E. H. Alden
Newport Vt.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
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Rev. E. H. Alden
Windsor Ct.

Memorandum & Address

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4300
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aon E. S. Whitcomb
8 9 81 Underhill,
14. Oct. ~~1881~~

Underhill Vt.
Chittenden Co. Vt.

Mr Lewis Tappan, Treasurer of the American Missionary.

Dear Sir

I have received your most excellent Paper and am much pleased to see the bold outspoken manner in which the truth is discussed, we heartily sympathize with you in your noble calling and hope that so long our Government will cause itself — in its full vigor and strength and independent of the few in the Border States will proclaim the wishes of the many that all men are free and equal. England please find

over

$4.00 Four Dollars as a donation to your paper
$2.00 of the above amount are sent by Mr B. H. Day the remainder by me.

Yours very Truly
E. S. Whitcomb

P.S.
The Mr Day mentioned is B. Hiram Day to whom you have sent your paper.

E. S. W.

Rev. J. Gladden
Miscellaneous Mss.
HL-4301
Miscellaneous Mss.

Rev. J. Gladden
Marietta, O.

Mr. Tappan — please to send me your monthly Magazine & the dollar will pay for two years.

Your June Reply has just fallen into my hands & I bless God for what you are doing for & among the poor Contrabands. I should be glad to do any thing in my power to help in that good & great work. The time of mercy for them is come & I bless the Lord for it & the time of fearful punishment for this sin-ful nation God will & must punish but not destroy. Yours truly

John Gladden

N.B. I am agent for the Boston Tract Society for this County — 2a Mill St. O. — & gladly would I do any thing among the

the choices & unenslaving men for
your Society — yours.

A. M. A. ARCHIVES
NO. HI-4303
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Mr Tappan, Sir,

Enclosed you will find 5 dollars, 2 for myself, 2 for C. C. Stoddard, 1 for A. C. Hitchcock, Am much interested in the objects of your society & have tried to raise money for the same but do not succeed so well as I could wish, Yours

H. O. Stoddard

Westfield, Vt.

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B. F. Haskell P. M.

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West Carrollton Ohio

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Geo. P. Hayward

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I send inclosed in this
five dollars as a new years
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Association wishing it
has more, and that the
blessing of Heaven might
attend it, and the Association.
Yours truly
Geo. P. Hayward

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Mrs. Betsey Coombs South Londonderry
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South Londonderry Vt.

Mr Tappan Sir I have done the best I can but not as I expected to but feel thankful that I have been enabled to do my mite and may the Lord open the hearts of those who have abundance to contribute that the Missionary be not compelled to leave it is the prayer of your friend and well wisher in the cause of our blessed Master you will find enclosed a draft for the sum of twelve Dollars and 25 cents

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Brother Curtis half Dollar	50
another brother one quarter	25
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Jamestown Chapter U.D. Co
Mrs Sappan
Jamestown N.Y.

Dear Madam

Enclosed find Draft for $100 which please apply at your discretion to any object in the field of ~~the field~~ of the American Missionary Association

Yours &
A friend to the Cause of Christ

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L. Sappan,

Sometime since you sent me a list of the names of persons in this place, to whom the A. M. was directed, to be corrected. It has gotten mislaid. But from recollection, will attempt to present the list.

Rev. J. B. Clark is removed to Rupert Vt. & Dea. P. Egerton to Rutland, Vt. The remaining names were, I think

Dea. F. Button,
Mr J. Pierce
" W. S. Weeks
" J. C. Spencer
" W. Eddy

Will you send it also to the following persons, in pamphlet form.

Mrs. A. Smith
" M. A Willson
Mr J. Fuller
" W. Benson
" Geo. Crossman
Mr. A. Newton
" W. Ross
" C. Crossman
" J. Learned

I thank you for the sweet little poem entitled "the Christian's Home". I shd love to distribute a package of them, among the recent converts in this place, if you have them to spare, & will be so kind as to send us some. We rejoice greatly in the remarkable reformation in your city. May it be a Millennial revival, never ceasing till that glorious period comes.

S. W. Grosvenor

P.S. In addition to the names of Contributors on the other side this leaf, who wish the M.M. will you please send it in newspaper form, to Lewis Spencer
& Saml Kingsley

If you will send two Bos for the month, direct to Mr G. for these young men, he will consider it the same as a receipt for the money he sends you. Afterward, you will please direct to them. S. W. Grosvenor

SPECIAL OFFERING.

Names.	Amounts.
	$
George Coffin	3,00
L. S.	2,00
	5.00

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T. H. Johnson

Bethel Vt Sept 2

W E Whiting

Dear Sir

Will you please charge me with $13. & forward me a draft by return mail for $13. & another receipt for the ballance $5.36 — or the $13 can be endorsed on this receipt, & the same returned to me. I need it now to meet my insurance premium.

Yrs truly

T H Johnson

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